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THE HARVEST OF DEATH

SEVERAL REACHED THE FOUR SCORE MARK AND MORE.

Fatal Accidents—Hand Cut Resulting in Blood Poisoning and Death.

MRS. CAROLINE E. HORNER, widow of the late Dr. Charles Horner, died last Saturday in her 80th year. She was the daughter of the well known banker and business man of this place, George Arnold, and the last surviving member of the family. Her husband died about twenty years ago. The funeral was held yesterday, Tuesday, Rev. D. W. Woods conducting the services, the deceased having been a member of the Presbyterian church for many years. She leaves two sons and two daughters, Robert Horner, of Norwalk, Conn., Charles Horner, living in the West, Mrs. Wm. B. McIlhenny and Miss Annie Horner of this place.

MISS MARIA KING of East Berlin died suddenly last Thursday morning from apoplexy aged 70 years and 18 days. She was unmarried and lived alone and on Wednesday evening was seen by her neighbor Mrs. C. C. Brown feeding her chickens. Thursday morning neighbors finding the lamp burning between 8 and 9 o'clock found door locked and through windows could see her sitting aside of the cook stove. She did not answer any calls made. Finally the door was burst open and she was sitting on chair beside cook stove with lamp burning but no fire in stove. Dr. Hoechst was summoned but she breathed her last about 15 minutes after he arrived. No one can tell whether she was sitting where found during the night or not. The funeral was held on Sunday, services by Rev. W. H. Miller, her pastor, having been a member of the Reformed Church. She was a good kind neighbor. She is survived by two brothers and one sister, William King of Reading township, Edward King of Hamilton township and Mrs. Rolandus Altland of Bigmouth, York Co.

JACKSON SHINDELECKER, a life long resident of Hamilton township and for the past ten years living near Iron Springs died last Thursday Dec. 9th, after a lingering illness aged 63 years and 6 months. He was a veteran of Civil War, serving 9 months in Co. C. 165th Pa. Regt. and later in 8rd Md. Cavalry. The funeral was held on Saturday. Rev. J. W. Mark conducting services, interment in Fairfield Union Cemetery. He is survived by six brothers and two sisters, William A. of Mt. Hope, Emanuel of York, Hiram of Highfield, Levi of near Pen-Mar, Alfred of Illinois, Madison of Fairfield Station, Mrs. Amanda Reese of Altoona and Mrs. David Reese of Iron Springs.

JOHN H. CLANEY, a prominent business man of Allegheny, died on Dec. 4th in his 82nd year. He had recently failed in health but was ill but for ten days. The funeral was held on Monday of last week and was attended by Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Neely. He leaves a daughter and son, Mrs. S. S. Neely, of this place, and Clifford D. Clane, of Allegheny.

DANIEL H. WONDER died in York County on last Friday, Dec. 10 from paralysis aged 61 years and 7 months. He had been Constable and Justice of the Peace in Penn township, York Co. He was unmarried and is survived by three brothers and three sisters, Jacob and John Wonder of Penn township, George Wonder of Berwick township, this county, Miss Emma Wonder of New York City, Miss Catharine Wonder and Mrs. Anna Hoffman of Penn township.

J. EDWARD BAKER, Emmitsburg leading contractor and builder, on Monday of last week fell from the third story of the Gelwick's building in course of erection. In that town and broke three ribs and sustained injuries from which he died on Wednesday. He was holding a heavy piece of timber with George Shorb, when timber slipped and Mr. Baker lost his balance and fell. He struck top of a fence with his left side, breaking his ribs and then fell to ground. Mr. Shorb saved himself by holding to a rafter until rescued. Mr. Baker had built up a large business and was one of the progressive men of his town. He was aged 41 years, 9 months and 29 days. He leaves a wife and four children and is survived by two brothers and a sister.

FRANKLIN L. BOWER died Nov. 24 in Pomona, California aged 70 years and 6 months. He left New Chester in 1861 went to Illinois and enlisted there in 1st Illinois Artillery and was with Sherman in his march to the sea. After his discharge from army in 1865 he drifted westward until he landed in California. He was born in York Springs and when ten years old the family moved to New Chester. He leaves a wife and two daughters, all of

Pomona. He is survived by two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. George Bowers of West Virginia, Mrs. Abell of near Gettysburg, Leander J. Bower of New Chester and Thomas E. Bower of New Oxford.

MRS. CLAYTON HERMAN died in Huntingdon township on Dec. 5 from pneumonia after an illness of five days aged 47 years, 8 months and 21 days. The funeral was held on Wednesday of last week, with interment at Gardner's Church, according to request of deceased made shortly before her death. She leaves a husband, five sons and three daughters.

MISS ELIZABETH R. TOOT died at the home of her brother John Toot on Steinwehr Avenue on last Wednesday aged 59 years 8 months and 7 days. She had been in failing health for some time. She had made her home with her brother during the last four years and previously had lived in Baltimore for 20 years. She was born in Mt. Pleasant township. The funeral was on Saturday. Services by Rev. Baker, interment in the Evergreen Cemetery. She is survived by two sisters and three brothers, Catharine Toot of New Oxford, Mrs. Wm. Lauer of Biglerville, John Toot of this place, Wm. Toot of Dixon, Illinois and Charles Toot of Story Co., Iowa.

DENTON MYERS died in Kansas City Dec. 4 aged 42 years. He was a son of the late Jonathan Myers and was born near York Springs and lived in that neighborhood until he went west in 1887 and was employed in a large department store and during the past 3 years as a traveling salesman. He is survived by one sister and two brothers, Mrs. E. K. Gardner and P. H. Myers of York Springs and Clay Myers of St. Louis.

SAMUEL LENTZ died in Bentonville, Virginia, Dec. 2nd, aged 76 yrs., 7 months and 2 days. He was a veteran of the Civil War and for fifty years lived in this place. He leaves a wife and twelve children, J. A. Lentz of this place being a son.

SISTER MARY BEATISSIMA, Miss Annie Redding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Redding of Steinwehr Avenue, died last Friday afternoon at St. Joseph's Hospital, Baltimore, aged 34 years. The funeral was held in Baltimore on Monday. She was well known in her church for her many virtues and had become Mother Superior of the Franciscan Sisterhood, Philadelphia. She is survived by her parents, three brothers and five sisters living in or near town. Joseph, Nicholas, H. W. Redding, Mrs. C. Wm. Troxel, Mrs. Ambrose Small, Mrs. Valentine Wagoner, Miss Susie and Miss Jennie Redding.

R. SAMUEL EIKER, of Liberty township, died on last Saturday from blood poisoning, aged 60 years. He cut his hand about ten days ago on a tin bucket and several days later blood poisoning developed. He had lived in Liberty township all his life, being a blacksmith by trade and was widely known and highly respected. The funeral was held yesterday—Tuesday—services by Rev. E. W. Stonebraker, interment in Fairfield Union Cemetery.

Fruit Growers Convention.

The Fifth Annual Convention of the Fruit Growers Association of Adams County will be held this week in Fruit Growers Hall, Bendersville, and will be in session, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, December 15th, 16th and 17th.

The first session will be this Wednesday afternoon, opening with invocation by Rev. P. S. Busey of Bendersville, followed by President's address by Robert M. Elden of Aspers. Prof. John P. Stewart of State College will speak on "Orchard Fertilization" and Albert T. Repp, vice president of New Jersey State Horticultural Society, "Essential Elements of Success in Fruit Growing."

Wednesday evening Miss Grace E. Gilbert, reader, of Wilkes-Barre, and Gettysburg College Quartette will give entertainment.

Thursday morning Charles E. Bassett of Fennville, Mich., will talk on "Getting Together" the saving to fruit growers by working together. Prof. W. J. Wright of State College will discuss "Various Nursery Methods of Propagation for Best Orchard Results."

Thursday afternoon Prof. R. L. Watts of State College will talk on "Inter-cropping of Young Orchards with Special Reference to Adams County Conditions." and Prof. C. S. Wilson of Ithaca, N. Y., of Cornell University on "General Orchard Management in New York."

Thursday evening Rev. J. A. Hodgkinson of Chicago, will deliver his lecture on "Fits and Miffs."

Friday morning Mr. Bassett, will speak on "The Young Man in Horticulture" and Prof. H. H. Whetzel of Ithaca, N. Y., of Cornell University, on "Work in the Department of Plant Pathology of the New York State College of Agriculture on Diseases of Fruit and Fruit Trees, during the season of 1909."

Friday afternoon, Mr. Bassett will discuss "Practical Principles of Profitable Peach Production," and Prof. Thomas B. Symons, of College Park, Md., spraying for San Jose Scale and Coddling Moth.

Friday Evening Miss Bertha Herrington of Harrisburg will entertain. Fruit Growers should attend these meetings whether or not they are members of the association. The meetings are free with exception of the evening entertainments.

In announcing the convention, attention is drawn to the crop this year as exceeding bumper crop of 1907. That total figures are not available, but believe that more than \$150,000 was paid for the crop. We know to a certainty that one firm sent over \$50,000 to pay for barreled fruit, another exceeded \$30,000, and two others \$7000 each, over \$23,000 was paid for canning apples, and \$4,000 evaporated stock, and the comment is added, Hurrah for Old Adams! and we are not yet out of our swaddling clothes. Five years from now we will commence to make records, only to break them year after year.

MARRIAGES.

BEITLER—HESS—On Dec. 7 at Frederick, Oliver W. Beitler and Miss Keye Hess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hess of Steinwehr Ave. were united in marriage. Mr. Beitler was employed for some years by J. H. Colliflower, but recently started in the harness business for himself on York St.

ASHMEAD—CRISWELL—In August, in Maine, Rev. W. N. R. Ashmead rector at one time of the Episcopal Church of this place and Mrs. Minnie Lee Criswell, formerly of this place were united in marriage.

Law and Order Society Formed.

A Law and Order Society was formed in this place last Thursday evening at St. James Lutheran Church. Rev. Baker opened the meeting and Dr. P. M. Bickle was made Temporary Chairman and Geo. L. Kieffer secretary. The "United Workers" Sunday School class of St. James started movement for such a Society and H. A. Stouffer stated the subject would be in remedy conditions in Gettysburg in the illegal selling of liquor, cigarettes, etc. The question whether such an organization is needed was discussed by Hon. R. Wm. Bream, Lt. P. L. Houck, W. A. Bream, Prof. C. F. Sanders, Hon. Theodore McAllister and Dr. P. M. Bickle, all the speakers believing such a society would be helpful. About fifty persons were present and on a rising vote it was unanimously agreed to organize such a society. Permanent officers were then elected, S. C. Reaser, President, Prof. C. F. Sanders, Vice Pres., Recording Sec. Geo. L. Kieffer, Treas. Wm. F. Codori, corresponding Sec. W. A. Bream. A communication from D. C. Gibboney of Philadelphia was then read, and the constitution of the Philadelphia Society. A committee of five was directed to be appointed to present constitution at next meeting. Time and place of the next meeting was left with executive committee composed of the officers.

Y. M. C. A. Formed.

The Gettysburg Y. M. C. A., was organized last week with George Hartman as Pres't, John Zinn, Vice Pres't, Morris Baker Financial Sec'y, Edgar Miller Recording Sec'y, and E. P. Miller, Treas. The Association started with about 20 members and hope to have many additions. They have rented the second floor of Spangler building where J. L. Butt, Esq., and J. L. Williams had their law offices, and will fit up same comfortable with reading and game rooms.

CHRISTIAN POST CARDS and novelties in great variety at C. A. Blocher's Jewelry Store.

THE MARKETS.

Prices at the Gettysburg warehouses corrected weekly by C. M. Wolf.

	Per Bu.
Good Wheat	1.12
Corn	.65
Rye	.70
Oats	.45

RETAIL PRICES.

	Per 100
Wheat Bran	\$1.30
Corn and Oats Chop	1.50
Middlings	1.50
Red Middlings	1.40
Timothy hay	.90
Rye chop	1.60
Baled straw	.50
Flour	\$5.50
Western flour	6.00
Wheat	Per bu.
Old corn 80 per bu. new corn	.70
Western oats	.50
Badger feed	1.30
Shoemaker Stock feed	1.50

PRODUCE AT WHOLESALE.

Butter firm, good demand, 28c. in the print; eggs, market firm, 31c. live fowl, 10c., calves 7-12 cts.; spring chicks 9c.

PRODUCE AT RETAIL.

Eggs 32c per dozen, butter 32c per pound

Read the COMPILER.

THE TROUBLES OF THE TOWN

AS SEEN BY THE TOWN FATHERS AND WHAT THEY DID.

Poke Railroads with Big Stick and Raise License on Picture Shows.

The Town Council met in regular session on Tuesday evening of last week, Pres't. Hamilton in chair and those present were Councilmen Butt, Armor, Kitzmiller, Shealer, Trostle Beck. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Borough Solicitor Wible reported right of way obtained from Lewis Barbehenn for sewer located on his land east of Water street.

Burgess Holtzworth reported that Policeman O'Reilly was on duty from 6 p. m. to 6 a. m. and Policeman Gordon from 11 p. m. to 12 noon.

Report being made that part of the first ward sewer near the septic tank was out of grade, motion prevailed that Sewer Committee take up sewer and relay said sewer from point where the East Middle St. sewer will enter the first ward sewer.

The Light Committee reported that all lights were erected under the new distribution of arc and tungsten lights.

Councilman Trostle made a statement that he did not believe the town was receiving the quantity of light that should be given under the contract and after several Councilmen had criticised the lights, a motion prevailed to only pay half of the present bill until the matter of lights be further investigated.

A motion carried that borough borrow \$800 to meet current expenses.

Motion was adopted that West Middle street and Buford avenue be opened as ordained, especially that part of Buford avenue passing Meade School House.

The Secretary was directed to notify the Reading Railway to remove its cars from North Street, commonly called Railroad street and to move tracks so as not to interfere with residents of said street or the traveling public.

Borough Attorney Wible requested authority and was given the same to employ some person to secure evidence against W. M. R. R. relative to maintaining a nuisance at various street crossings.

An ordinance supplement to ordinance approved Jan. 16, 1900 entitled "an ordinance regulating and fixing licenses for menageries, museums, circuses, side shows, theatrical entertainments exhibitions performances and feats of skill exposed to view for money was passed by unanimous vote of all Councilmen. The supplemental portion provides license at 50 cents an evening for all picture shows and \$2.00 for theatrical entertainments.

An ordinance defining the Sanitary Sewer system, designating matter to be discharged therein, providing for the appointment of a superintendent of sewers, regulating connections therewith and imposing penalties for violation was unanimously adopted. This sewer ordinance is the identical ordinance passed when sewer was completed but the ordinance was never placed on the records of the borough so as to become a law.

Burgess Holtzworth reported the following collections for October:

Ed. Swope license,	\$5.00
J. Hemler license,	5.00
F. Deardorff license,	3.00
Fakirs,	3.00
1 games of football,	2.00
John Walter show,	1.50
Lavere Hafer sewer permit,	1.75
Geo. Stallmiller Bldg. permit,	3.75
St. James Church sewer permit,	1.75
J. A. Good sewer permit,	1.75
Turnpike Co.,	45.00
J. Walter license,	.50
M. Logan license,	.50
D. J. Forney,	2.00
J. Walter,	2.00
Total,	\$78.50

NOVEMBER RECEIPTS

M. H. Plank sewer permit,	\$1.75
Mrs. Cobean Bldg. "	1.00
B. F. Lightner sewer permit,	2.00
Wm. Gilbert "	1.75
G. W. Weaver & Son sewer permit,	2.00
Wm. Johns Bldg. permit,	2.75
J. Walter show license,	.50
Water Co. 1000 ft. digging,	20.00
R. E. Wible permit,	1.00
Reaser Mfg. Co. sewer permit,	.75
J. Walter show license,	.50
Football team,	.50
B. F. Lightner sewer permit,	.75
J. Walter show license,	.50
Morgan Mickle Bldg. permit,	1.00
Wm. Evans, Bldg. permit,	1.00
Gas Co. four permits,	4.00
J. Walter show license,	8.50
Ed. Menchey digging permit,	1.00
J. C. Shank sewer permit,	1.75
J. Walter show license,	1.50
J. Walter picture show,	2.00
D. J. Forney "	2.00
Teachers Institute,	2.00
Conrad Cluck digging permit,	1.50
J. Walter show license,	.50
M. Logan license,	.50

C. C. Young digging permit, 1.00

Total, \$59.09

Treasurer Bickle reported General Fund

Bal. on hand last settlement, 2,005.42

Burgess Holtzworth, 137.00

State of Pa. Fire Ins. money, 72.43

Disbursements, 2514.85

Balance on hand, 1207.29

SPECIAL FUND.

Balance on hand, \$ 791.58

First Nat. Bank loan, 1000.00

Wm. H. Frock, tax 1909, 85.50

" " " 1907, 128.25

Disbursements, \$2005.33

Balance on hand, 1713.50

The Secretary was instructed to send notice to Tax Collector Wm. H. Frock to finally settle for all taxes of the borough, except those for year 1909, by Feb. 1, 1910.

The Sewer Committee reported that they had received three bids for 2500 8 inch terra cotta pipe and 75 vs for sewer. Speese & Pfeffer \$426.88, C. M. Wolf \$427.25 and J. O. Blocher \$429.60 and contract was given to Speese & Pfeffer, and this action of sewer committee was approved.

The borough attorney was directed to bring legal proceedings against the United Telephone Company to recover pole tax at the rate of 50 cents a pole instead of the 10 cent rate.

Councilman Armor was instructed to order the registration boxes for use of police.

Our Congressional Hopes

A number of bills of great interest to Gettysburg were introduced in the extra session of the present sixty-first Congress and their fate will be watched at this end of the line with much concern.

The one bill which has the favorable approval of the whole country, and the one our people are most interested in, is for the construction of "Lincoln Way," from Washington to Gettysburg. It is the purpose of Hon. D. F. Lafean to leave nothing undone to have the bill be introduced for the "Lincoln Way" become a law.

He will also work for the passage of the bill to provide for the erection of public building at Gettysburg and in view of the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the battle in 1913, the Nation having a Federal building in this place to house the Battlefield Commissioners and their valuable records ought to be unanswerable.

Congressman Lafean stated that the only new bill of any importance, he would offer, would be to provide for a special pension for soldiers, sailors and marines of the Federal army and navy, confined in confederate prisons during the Civil war, being the bill known as "Prisoners of War Bill" approved at Salt Lake city, last September.

Mr. Lafean also declared that he will be in favor of a postal savings bank and a parcels post law.

If there is any way Gettysburg citizens can help the situation for the "Lincoln Way" and Federal buildings, they should get busy.

RETAIL MERCHANTS' ASSOC'N

Take Permanent Headquarters in First Nat. Bank Building.

The Retail Merchants' Association met on last Friday evening and after extended discussion decided that the Association ought to have permanent quarters, not only for meetings but for committee work going on all the time, also a place where visiting merchants and others with whom business relations may be had. Upon motion it was agreed to rent the room in the First National Bank Building which has been occupied by John A. Cox for battlefield museum purposes. Mr. Cox had intended to give up the room but agreed if the association rented same to leave the furniture. It is believed other civic organizations can make use of the room and help toward payment of rent.

The closing of stores at six o'clock during January and February was discussed at length. The proposed closing to apply to dry goods, shoe, clothing and grocery stores. Several grocers believed it placed them in a disadvantageous position as to several groceries that did not belong to the association. On the other hand there were grocers who took the position that those stores that did not come in the association and had kept open had not made enough profit on their night business to pay their light bills, that they had run up against public sentiment criticising them for refusing to fall in with their brother dealers and that the time was here when public recognized that the country merchant had a right to his evenings as much as the city merchant. A motion to close at six o'clock in January and February except Saturday evenings carried.

The committee appointed to promote traffic to Gettysburg next summer during the National G. A. R. Encampment at Atlantic City, reported that they had communicated with railroads and G. A. R. officials and from all sources so far had received encouragement.

Increased dues were found to be necessary to maintain permanent

headquarters and on motion which carried unanimously, it was agreed that the minimum dues should be 25 cents a month and that the president and secretary should prepare a scale of dues.

The attitude of the Town Council toward the railroads and public service corporations was freely criticised. The members of the association discussed ways in which it would be possible to make the railroads understand that the business men of Gettysburg did not approve of a continual state of unrest and kicking that this place has become known from the attitude of the Town Council. In fact the possibility of having the authorities look at it from the standpoint of the business was discussed. Railroad officials complain of the attitude of authorities as always ready to make them trouble by summary notices and threats of legal proceedings. The merchants believe that the Council would before taking any steps meet the officials that much could be accomplished. That a friendly attitude would go further than demands. The railroad authorities expressed surprise over the friendly attitude of committees of the Merchants' Association and gave them to understand they would always be willing to meet and treat with them. Let every one, town officials especially, help toward a better attitude.

SOLID GOLD Signet rings, Signet Brooch pins and Scarf pins, make nice Christmas presents. Come early give us time to do fine engraving. C. A. BLOCHER, Jeweler.

Jingles

Windfred Sackville Stoner, the bright little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Stoner of Evansville, Ind., is the author of a very attractive book, entitled "Jingles," and though the young lady is but seven years of age, it has taken 52 pages tastefully bound and illustrated, to present the happy jingles she has composed in her fifth and sixth years. The book is published by Smith and Butterfield of Evansville, Ind., prices 75 cents. It contains six pictures of the young author from one to six years old. One of the poems is dedicated to her uncle C. W. Stoner, Esq. of this place and in copy sent him the author says:

"On the forty-fourth page thou mayst see The Special Rhyme I wrote for thee."

Resident agent wanted by large distillery, Must be well acquainted with local trade. Address, Opportunity, 59 4th Ave., New York.

Teachers of schools and churches before buying Christmas candies, oranges, &c. Call and see what we can do for you.

Peoples Cash Store.

HOLD UP INVESTIGATION.

MCHEERYSTOWN, Dec. 13.—Wm. Small, (Fritz) of Midway, was arrested during the week by Officer Dutera of Hanover, on two warrants issued by Justice Sell, charged on oath of Miss Ada Small, of Midway, with disguising himself and laying in wait, making a rush towards her with an unlawful intent, frightening her and making threats against her if she would have him arrested, also with carrying concealed deadly weapons. Small entered bail for a hearing at which he was discharged for want of sufficient evidence. There has been a number of hold ups during the recent past in this section and if the guilty parties are apprehended by the numerous bands of citizens who are acting as vigilant committees, they will be shown no mercy.

Philip Wagoner, L. E. Topper, Seb. H. Weaver and J. B. Kuhn returned Saturday from Harrisburg where they were in attendance at a special convention of the Pennsylvania Federation of Labor. Strong resolutions were passed placing the repeal of the act creating the State Constabulary as the paramount issue of the labor forces. Mr. Kuhn served as assistant secretary of the convention and Messrs. Wagoner, Weaver and Topper took prominent parts and were active representatives during the session.

Clem. F. Staub, Chas. Hombach and Harry Noel who left during the week for Warren, Newark and Baltimore to obtain positions at cigar making have returned home, finding that firms are not increasing their force of employees this close to the holiday season.

Miss Rose Gulden and Arthur Epplenman, of Aspers, spent Sunday with the family of Geo. F. Bender.

Rev. Fr. Coad, of Mt. St. Marys was a visitor of Fr. Reudter during the week.

Louis Klunk, of near town, lost a valuable horse recently from lockjaw. Lewis Culp is circulating his petition for a license for his new Eagle hotel and has already secured a large list of signatures. A year ago he was refused a license, there being a remonstrance filed.

The interesting and hard fought pool tournament between the Eagles and Legion teams came to a close during the week, the Legion coming out victorious with a lead of 100 points.

Frank Herk, of Midway, with a force of men plastered left during the week for Baltimore where he has a large contract of plastering. J. W. R. G.

A SOUTHERN KEEPSAKE

OF BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG

TAKEN FROM DYING MAN

Preserved in the State Hall of History at Raleigh, North Carolina

In the State Hall of History at Raleigh, North Carolina is preserved the last written Message of Colonel I. E. Avery, who while dying on the battlefield wrote the message to his father. The following is a brief story of the Avery family and the occurrence:

Colonel Waighstill Avery was a striking figure in North Carolina at the period when Andrew Jackson, that man of iron among our Presidents, lived and made history, and in this historical collection is a challenge which Jackson sent to Avery for a pistol duel brought about by some trifling remark of Avery in a Court room in argument before a jury. Avery, an older man, but an admirer of young Jackson, accepted the challenge and the meeting was held one afternoon, after Court adjourned, as suggested by Jackson in the challenge. Jackson fired at Avery, but the latter never even raised his pistol. In a moment Jackson saw this crowning proof of friendship, dropped his pistol and rushed into the outstretched arms of the equally brave Avery, and ever after the two were devoted friends.

When the civil war began Avery's grandson, Isaac Erwin Avery, entered the service of North Carolina, and, brave to the utmost, rose in rank until at Gettysburg, the high-water mark of the war, he was colonel of the Sixth regiment, its major being Samuel McDowell Tate, also a member of a noted North Carolina family, which had seen service, like the Averages, in all our wars. Colonel Avery was a strikingly handsome man and on the second day at Gettysburg was leading his regiment in a charge, when both he and his horse were shot and mortally wounded. The animal fell, plunging Avery to the ground. His rider, thus caught and partially paralyzed, declined to allow himself to be touched, but ordered his regiment to continue its advance. While it rushed forward he, with infinite pain, and able to use only his left hand, contrived to take from his pocket a pad of Confederate note-paper and a pencil, and to scrawl a message. It was written for Major Tate, to be given to the father of the mortally-stricken soldier, and it was in these words: "Major, tell my father I died with my face to the enemy. —A. E. Avery." The poorly-made paper which bears this message of perfect courage is marked by blotches of the writer's blood.

The regiment made a splendid charge and passed a stone wall, through two openings and over parts of the wall, and Major Tate told the writer that with his own revolver he shot four or five of the Federal troops as they lay behind the wall. He said the scene was too awful to be described. He saw two men, one in blue, the other in gray, almost leaning against each other and tottering to death, each with bayonet sunk to the very muzzle of the rifle in the body of his opponent, and an instant later saw them go down together with frenzied faces and wild looks of hate, while blood ran over the stony ground in little rivulets.

Came of Fighting Family.

When Tate returned to his colonel there was the message, and it was taken to the father of the brave soldier, whose death so soon followed and whose body was taken to the ancestral home of the Averages at Morgantown, a town in the mountain foothills of North Carolina. Another of the Averages, as colonel of another North Carolina, was in the line which went farthest at Chickamauga, that "Gettysburg of the West, and illustrated there, as his brother did at Gettysburg, the heroism and the nobleness of the American soldier, and it is this man of Chickamauga, Colonel Alphonso Avery, who had presented to North Carolina this appealing message from his brother.

It was not fit that at Gettysburg it should be the fortune of another North Carolina regiment, commanded by the youngest colonel on either the Federal or the Confederate side, to have suffered a greater loss than any other regiment, on either side, during all the war. That regiment was the Twenty-sixth, and its boy-colonel was Henry King Burgwyn, whose stately monument of granite adorns the Confederate cemetery at Raleigh, bearing the family crest and telling in simple words of what the regiment did. Upon the monument which covers the resting-place of Colonel Avery, of the Sixth, the inscription is in part his message above set forth, and, indeed he needs no further eulogy.

Straban Grange Elects Officers.

Straban Grange No. 1334, held its annual election of officers on Monday evening of last week and the following were elected for the ensuing year: Master, G. H. Raffensperger; Over-

seer, Addison Leer; Secretary, R. C. Coleman; Treasurer, J. Bell Weaver; Lecturer, Miss Mary Brown; Chaplain, Chester Bell; Steward, C. E. Eicholtz; Gatekeeper, Robt. Deatrick; Assistant Steward, Harman Beamer; Ceres, Fay Harman; Pomona, Myrtle Beamer; Flora, Mrs. C. E. Goldsborough; Trustee, C. H. Wagner; Janitor, Edw. Taughibaugh, Lady Assistant Steward, Mrs. C. E. Eicholtz.

ORDEAL OF CENSUS QUIZZES.

Citizens Must Not Mind Uncle Sam if Almost Impertinent.

"Are you the head of the family, or is the head out?" That is one of the leading questions that will be put to whoever may come to the door when the census enumerators ring or knock, next April. It is important that the Government keep track of every family head, and the answer, though it may cause domestic wangling afterward, will be rewarded from the one whom it is asked. That is where the women of the family will get the best of it, as it is likely the men will be at their work when the enumerator calls.

"Are you married? Have you any children? Is your mother-in-law living with you?" These are a few of the multiplicity of questions which, beginning with April 15, 1910, will be asked every housewife in the United States and its Territories by Uncle Sam's army of inquisitors known as census enumerators. From house to house all over the country will these inquisitors go. Sometimes, if the records of census gathering can be taken as evidence, the enumerators will be welcomed and sometimes they will not. That they will ask half a hundred scheduled questions and probably half a hundred more which are not scheduled is to be expected. The work of taking the next census, it is hoped by census officials, will be done better and more rapidly than past census.

TIME TO EXERCISE PATIENCE.

It, when a clean-faced, well-dressed, smooth-talking young or old man jerks the door-bell almost out of its socket, or raps the skin off his knuckles, have patience with him. If when you happen to be a housewife and answer the summons of the door-bell and four of your five children answer it, too, do not scold the enumerator man when he asks if you are married, for he will be receiving, perhaps, some of the very taxes you pay to do this, and then it really is necessary to know how big we are. Uncle Sam has not counted noses all over the country for 10 long years, and it may be, as some of the pessimists say, the race is lessening, and if it is so, the Government wants to know it in order that it can be determined just what kind of premiums to offer for Rooseveltian families.

There is one request in particular the Government makes of people living in small cities, towns and rural districts, and that is to have all dogs chained after April 14 for at least six months.

When the enumerator calls he will begin by asking this question: "What street, road or avenue is this? What is the number?" He will then say:

"What is your name? Are you the head of the family? What is the name of each person living here on April 15, 1910? The surname, initial of every person in the abode? How many children, their names, ages, places of birth?"

WILL COUNT DIVORCES.

If you are not the head of the family you will be asked what you are to the head. The enumerator will then take a description of the occupants. He will ask the sex, color and race, of every person, the age at last birthday. Then come to questions to the women:

"Are you married or single, or divorced or widowed? If you have been divorced and remarried, you will be asked the number of years of present married life. "How many children are you the mother of? How many children were born, and how many are living?"

These questions will be asked in the order named, so don't get impatient and fretful and think the enumerator is asking questions which seem personal and impertinent, for they are for the Government.

After assuring you that it is quite important that twice as many more questions be asked, the enumerator will ask your nationality. The Government is particularly anxious that this question be answered truthfully. "What State or Territory, if born in the United States? What country if foreign born? The place of birth of the person being interrogated; the place of birth of the father of this person and the place of birth of the mother.

The question of citizenship will be thoroughly gone into.

"Were you born in the United States? Were you an immigrant? What year did you come to the United States? Have you been naturalized, or are you still an alien?"

The enumerator will have to ask whether all members of the family speak English, and if not, what language they do speak.

The trade or profession of, or the kind of work done by each person, such as spinner, salesman, laborer, etc., will be asked. The general nature of industry, business or establishment in which person works, such as cotton mill, dry goods store, farm, etc. Whether an employer or employee or working on own account, will be another question.

TO TAKE TARIFF ON HOME OWNERS.

If an employee you will be asked whether you were out of work on April 15, 1910, and the number of weeks you were out of work during the year 1909.

Do you read and write, and do your children read and write? Have you, or any of the other members of the house attended any school since September 1, 1909.

These questions will be asked with a view to classifying the illiterate,

those having just a common education and those having a higher education.

Other questions on the sheet which the enumerators carry will, in a large measure, show whether Americans are as extravagant as they have been alleged to be. The question is the ownership of homes. It will be asked whether the home you live in is owned by you or rented. If owned by you it is free of mortgage. "Are you a survivor of the Union or Confederate army or navy?" will be asked of the male members of the house.

The last question on the sheet is if there are any persons in the house suffering from blindness, whether in both eyes; and if deaf and dumb.

The Government hopes to make the thirteenth census the greatest in the history of the country, and every citizen is asked to co-operate with the enumerators in order that no mistakes will occur.

Efficient Services Recognized.

Few people realize the governmental responsibility resting upon the shoulders of women clerks; the number is steadily increasing as women are found more and more suited for the intricate and irksome details of routine clerical work. It is only a question of time when the pay of men and women who work for the government will be equalized where the duties are of equal importance—the only guide to salary will then be ability and the service rendered.

At the present time the highest salaried woman doing departmental work in Washington is Miss A. H. Shortridge, of New York City. The State Department recently recognized her services by promotion to a salary of \$2,500 per annum, the highest pay ever given to any woman worker by Uncle Sam. Miss Shortridge began with a position of \$900 per year and has gradually worked her way up, by efficient service, to the distinction which she now enjoys. No wonder

that the hard-headed, broad-winning women of the country are delighted to see one of their members honored as she deserves.—Joe Mitchell Chapple, in "Affairs at Washington," December National Magazine.

ALL OUT OF SORTS.

Has Any Gettysburg Person Never Felt That Way?

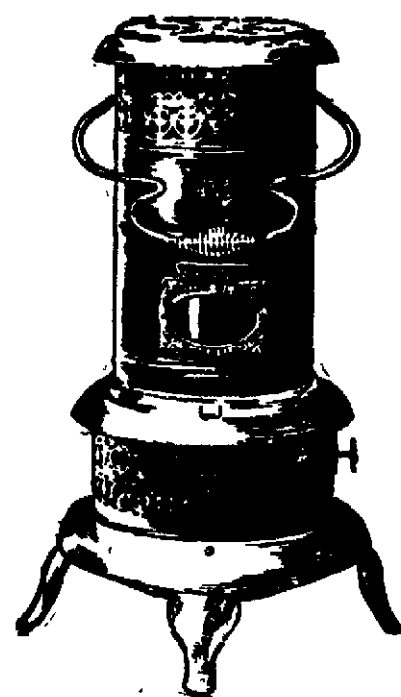
Feel all out of sorts? Tired, Blue, Irritable, Nervous? Back feel lame and achy? That's the story of sick kidneys—Bad blood circulating about: Uric acid poisoning the body. Just one way to feel right again. Cure the sluggish kidneys; Do it with Doan's Kidney Pills. Doan's have cured many Gettysburg people. Here's one case.

Mrs. Anna Matthews, 44 Steinwehr Ave., Gettysburg, Pa., says: "It would be hard to describe the misery I endured from kidney disease, in fact it really seemed as if I had all the symptoms of this malady. My back ached severely and the pains were so intense at times as to make me real miserable. The kidney secretions were also irregular in passage and gave me much annoyance. I finally procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at the People's Drug Store and used them according to directions. My back grew stronger in a short time, the kidney secretions were regulated and I felt better in every way."

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Christmas Buying

Here's a truth applicable to the affairs of life in a number of ways:—

You Get What You Give Away and this is Absolutely True of Christmas Cheer.

There never was any Christmas Cheer invented or manufactured over any other prescription than by getting it through giving it away. In the giving of the Christmas Cheer comes the only real cheer that is worth while to the human.

There are many ways to help give and get this Christmas Cheer and one sure way is this,

Do all the Christmas Shopping at Home and SHOP EARLY.

Your neighbors, the home merchants, have made preparations for the giving of the Christmas Cheer. They have taken risks in their preparations. Give it back to them by spending all the Christmas dollars with them.

In buying away from home, either by going to the city or through catalogues, there will come into your consciousness the feeling that the dollars should have been spent at home and this feeling will influence toward a hiding of where the buying was done because of the dislike of any admission of disloyalty to the home community. This attitude will place one in a false light with one's self, and these are situations that worketh not for cheer.

You can't get the full force and effect of giving Christmas Cheer unless you put your money where it should go—to your neighbors, the merchants of the home community. When all your efforts have been expended in the home community there comes the feeling of having been true to yourself and the home town and that all your efforts have been towards the fullest development of Christmas Cheer at home. Then there will seep into the soul the cheer you have been giving away.

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A SHEET of FOOLSCAP

By Edith Morgan Willett

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The Only Man discovered it one morning, after a long search through his blotter.

The note-paper for which he was looking lay at the bottom of a distant trunk, and the man disliked distances. The girl to whom he owed the letter was unconventional and inclined to be literary.

"Foolscap," he reflected hopefully, "smacks of the literary!" At this point he turned the sheet over, considered it on all sides, and began to write.

The Gables, July 1, 1906.

My Dear Polly:

It has rained for several days, and even now the barometer is falling.

Here he paused to consult the instrument which hung opposite.

"Twenty-nine and five-tenths," he remarked sotto-voce, and then he sighed.

At the sound of that mighty sigh there was a rustle behind him, and four women sitting around a card table abruptly suspended their game of bridge.

"So dull for you!" sympathetically cooed one.

"Take my hand," urged another, leaning forward with cards generously outstretched. "Yes, you really must! I insist upon it!"

But the Only Man shook his head. "How can I," he demurred, "with so many people around?"

I have been here now for three months (he wrote, suppressing a yawn), occupying a proud, enviable, and much over-rated position.

Then he paused, for what he was about to write was rankest heresy.

There was a terrible risk in putting such things on paper. But the Only Man loved risks quite as he disliked teasing, and he had been teased without mercy. He proceeded resentfully.

Your accusations in this connection, however, are as base as they are baseless. And as far as I can see, the best way to disprove them is to tell you the real state of the case—that much mistaken case of the Only Man in the Boarding House! Well, there are six of your sex in this establishment. Generally speaking, it's a case of "six of one and half a dozen of the other" (I mean this).

But in going over the inventory, Mrs. Fisher comes first. She is a widow with a lot of money and light hair and a French maid.

At this point in his descriptions, "Are you writing to your sister?" came interestedly across the room.

The Only Man considered a moment. "Well, yes," he admitted; "thus far my correspondent certainly persists in being a sister to me."

Then, returning to his letter—

We will put Miss Perkins next on the list. Her woman's strong points are her interrogative points. She knows everything about me that's worth knowing, and some things that aren't. I wish she didn't know me at all. Number Four on my list, Mrs. Appleby, has the kindest heart in the world, and the worst children. Either they leave the house or I shall before the end of the week.

He made this statement boldly, then turned over the sheet of foolscap, and continued his rash work on the other side.

Now comes our landlady, Mrs. La Jeune. My word! She's always coming into my sitting room and plumping into the arm-chair with some tale of woe to which I'm expected to lend an ear.

As for the Miss Winthrop to whom you refer—our friendship is strictly platonic. She is "deeply, darkly, beautifully blue," and has taken a degree in something—I forget what, but it's a degree too much for me. I can assure you!

You ask me if I am engaged to Miss Grace Lovall! Not that I'm aware of. She's a very good sort, though, and might be an angel if she wasn't a golf fiend. But you can't be sentimental with an all-around athlete, who beats you in tennis twice a day!

You see, Polly, your teasing falls flat! If my heart is lacerated—which I don't deny—you are responsible and you alone so you'd better knock the blame and pay damages as soon as possible!

It was just here that our scribe hurriedly broke off his letter, in order to answer the telephone in the hall, and, having taken down some important and annoying quotations from his broker, was on his way up-stairs—his thoughts concentrated on stocks—when a recollection seized him that made him turn on his heel and retrace his steps with alarming swiftness—a horrible vision before his mind's eye of an unfinished letter he had left behind him, a poor little, defenseless sheet of foolscap on the parlor desk, totally surrounded by women!

The unhappy Man was seeing all this so vividly, as he tore downstairs two steps at a time, that he failed to see a giant's cave of bricks that the Appleby boys had considerably built in the darkest turn of the staircase. As his foot struck one of the parapets, the cave naturally collapsed, sending the whole structure, and incidentally the Only Man, quite suddenly to the bottom floor.

He came to a half-hour later in a darkened room, and lay wondering vaguely how on earth he happened to be there, and what the queer object in bandages was at the other end of his sofa, fully six feet away from him.

After long consideration, it struck him painfully that it must be his own foot.

"Broken?" he asked in a far-off voice, and five skirts loomed rustling out of the dimness at the sound of it.

"Sh! Don't talk!" he was told soothingly. "It's only a sprain. You fell down-stairs. You must have been coming down in a great hurry. Don't you remember?"

Remember that? Of course he did, and something else too! The Only Man sat up with a sudden start.

That letter he was after!—Great thunder! It must be still on the desk, just where he left it, for every woman in the house to take up, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest!

At his sudden groan, a bottle of smelling salts was hastily clapped to his nose, and they all pressed about him.

"Does it hurt so much?" he was asked tenderly. "Can't we do something?"

The Only Man looked eagerly into four guileless, unsuspecting faces. No, they had none of them seen that letter yet, and they were all there, except—

"Miss Perkins?" he asked, with his heart sinking again. "Where is Miss Perkins?"

He was told with some coldness that Miss Perkins had gone down-stairs ten minutes ago, in search of cashions, and had not come back, for some reason. (The wretched man thought he knew what it was.) But, of course, if he wanted her so much—

"No, indeed I don't," he protested feverishly, as Mrs. Fisher moved stiffly toward the door. "Please sit down again. Yes, there—where I can see you. Pray don't leave me, any of you!"

And in his anxiety to keep them with him—and away from Miss Perkins—as long as possible, he manfully allowed Mrs. Appleby to fuss over the object in bandages as much as she wished, drank pints of Mrs. La Jeune's beef-tea, and let Miss Winthrop feed him with hothouse grapes to her heart's content.

When the dinner-gong rang, it was touching to see his distress at being left alone, and his eager entreaties to come back soon wrung each woman's heart. But the door was scarcely shut behind the last reluctantly departing form when he was off the sofa, crawling eagerly and with many a groan to the bell, and then ringing it, and breathlessly explaining to the maid who answered it (a devoted ally of his) just where to find a blotter on the parlor desk with—er—an open letter on it, and, for Heaven's sake, to be as quiet as possible! Really—er—if she could take off her shoes and not let any one see her, he would never forget it!

This with a glance and a tip that sent Jennie down-stairs in stocking feet, with a longing to die if need be for "that sweet Mr. Hazlitt!"

While she was gone he lay there anxiously counting the minutes and hoping against hope that all would be well—till he heard the dining-room door open and a well-known voice speak to some one in the parlor.

The Man did not catch what it said, but he knew too well! When Jennie came up-stairs with the letter in her hand, he was lying with his face to the wall, and his soul refused comfort. For the wished for had come to him—as it generally does in this life—too late!

What was the use of recovering that blankety-blank sheet of foolscap at all, since Miss Perkins had already "picked it up by mistake?"

Oh, that eternal, infernal sheet of foolscap!

The only ray of light in the dark monotony of the poor invalid's existence was caused by Miss Lovall's home-coming. She had been visiting a friend during the events described, and only returned about five days after the Only Man's fall from grace.

"Why, Mr. Hazlitt!" she ejaculated. "What's the matter? What's up?"

"I am!" quoth the Man, with feeble cheerfulness; "or, rather, down! You see, it's my ankle—"

Here, spurred on by her sympathetic interest, he found himself telling her with much enjoyment just what had happened to it, and all he had been through—physically. It was good to hear that he had had "cruel hard luck," and that she "was no end sorry," and to have her sitting cozily beside his sofa, recounting her own "glorious time" at Lenox, and the many sets of tennis she had won. She was in the very thick of description—he listening admiringly—when an opposite door was opened, and her name was called across the hall in strident tones.

"There's old Perkins!" the girl declared, rising. "Well, I suppose I had better be going! By-by, Mr. Hazlitt. See you later."

But Mr. Hazlitt said never a word, for as the door closed on her young, retreating figure, the thought struck him that it would be just as well not to "see Miss Lovall later"—after she had been told the contents of the sheet of foolscap; after she had been enrolled in the ranks of the enemy!

When Mrs. La Jeune found him struggling with his trunks an hour later, he told her unblushingly that he had received a sudden call to New York.

No one was up when the Man made his lonely exit from the boarding-house the next morning. He went out in a meek, candle-like way, assisted ignominiously into the 'bus by the driver.

No handkerchiefs fluttered from the closed shutters as he bowed down the drive.

Unwatched, unloved, unlamented, an Adam with never an Eve, he stole forth from Paradise; but at the gates there met him—by way of Cherubim—a maiden with flaming cheeks and a missive, which last flew through the 'bus window, landing with surprising accuracy right at its occupant's feet: It read as follows:

Good luck, good day, just let me say; That sheet of foolscap's jolly. Your wicked wit—what matters it When one's a friend of Polly.

P. S.—We became great chums at Lenox this summer, and she told me all about you. I've promised to be her bridesmaid.—G. L.

An Unrelenting Critic.

"All I did," said the big grain speculator, "was to take advantage of an opportunity."

"Well," answered Farmer Cornatosel, "that's all Capt. Kidd used to do."

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In our Grocery Department you will find all the fruits, nuts, and everything necessary for your Christmas Baking. All new goods.

Gettysburg Department Store

LICENSE NOTICE.

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Adams County.

It is ordered that all applications for licenses for the sale of wines, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, wholesale or retail, for the year 1910, will be heard on FRIDAY, the 18th day of JANUARY, 1910, at 10:30 a. m., at which time all persons applying or making objections to applications, will be heard by evidence, petition, remonstrance or counsel. There must be no communication at any time with the judges personally upon the subject, by letter or any other private way.

The petition verified by affidavit of applicant, shall be in conformity with the requirements of the Acts of Assembly. Judgment bond shall be executed in the penal sum of \$200, with no less than two reputable freeholders of the county where the liquor is to be sold, as sureties, each of them to be a bona-fide owner of real estate in the said county, worth over and all income to be received, the sum of \$200, or other legal security to be given. Bond conditioned for the faithful observance of all the laws relating to the selling or furnishing of liquors, and to pay all damages, which shall be recovered against the licensee, and all costs, fines and penalties, which may be imposed on him under any indictment for violating said laws, and the sureties may be required to appear in Court and justify upon oath.

The Court shall in all cases refuse the application whenever in the opinion of the Court, having due regard to the number and character of the petitioners for and against such applications, the license is not necessary for the accommodation of the public and entertainment of strangers and travelers, or that the applicant is not a fit person, to whom such license should be granted. Petitions to be filed with the Clerk of the Courts not later than SATURDAY, the 15th day of DECEMBER, 1909. Objections and remonstrances to be filed not later than TUESDAY, the 4th day of JANUARY, 1910.

Upon sufficient cause being shown or proof being made to the Court that the party holding a license has violated any law of the Commonwealth relating to the sale of liquors, the Court shall, upon notice being given to the person licensed, revoke the license.

Attest: S. McC. SWOFF, Pres. Judge.
J. F. THOMAS, Clerk Q. S.

PUBLIC SALE

OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

ON THURSDAY the 16th day of DECEMBER, 1909, the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of C. P. Krise, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams Co., Pa. dec'd, will sell on the farm of John H. Eckert, located near Fairplay School house on the road leading from Gettysburg to Fairfield, said farm being now occupied by Alonza Yingling, the following personal property: Four cows, two calves about six months old, one heifer about a year old, a two year old bull.

Sale to commence at 2 o'clock p. m. on said farm when attendance will be given and terms made known by.

J. L. BUTT, Executor.

ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Policy holders of the Gettysburg Mutual Fire Insurance Company for the purpose of electing sixteen Managers for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before it will be held on January 10, 1910, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the office of W. E. Kapp, Esq., in the Borough of Gettysburg, County of Adams, State of Penn'a.

W. E. KAPP, Secretary.

ELECTION.

AN Election of thirteen Directors of the Liberty and Independent States Insurance Association will be held on SATURDAY, JAN. 1st, 1910 at the office of the Company, between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock, p. m.

D. P. DELAP, Secretary.

ELECTION.

AN Election for thirteen Directors of the Mummasburg Mutual Fire Protection Society will be held at the office of the Company in Gettysburg, SATURDAY, JAN. 1st, 1910, between the hours of 12 m. and 3 p. m.

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Christmas : Thoughts

Gifts that are Thoroughly Appreciated

Are coming more and more to be those that possess not only beauty and good taste, but usefulness as well. Here are a few suggestions along the line of useful gifts, and lots of them have beauty too : : : : :

For the Men Folks

In a word, everything but ready-made clothing; to be more explicit, Winter Caps and Hats, Woolen and Silk Mufflers, Shirts, Underwear, Collars, Ties at 25c and 50c (every 50c tie in a beautiful box,) Suspenders, Pocket-books, Handkerchiefs of all kinds, Umbrellas, Suit Cases and Bags, Hosiery, Collar Bags, Stick Pins, Cuff Links, Gloves, (fur, skin and wool,) Mittens, Shoes, Overgaiters, Rubber Boots, Arctics, Rubbers, Sweaters, (from 50c to \$5.00,) Combination Sets of Tie, Hose and Handkerchiefs to match; also Combination Sets of Tie and Hose to match, particularly good gifts for a young man; Fur Collars, Pajamas, Night Robes.

For the Lady Folks

Shoes of every description, from the heavy knock-about Shoe to the fine Dress Boots. Sweaters, Kid and Felt Slippers for comfortable house wear; Rubber Shoes and Boots, Over Gaiters.

For the Boys and Girls

Sweaters, (all colors and all prices, from 50c to \$1.50) bright colored Skating Caps, High Top Shoes, Leggings, High School Pennants, Gauntlet Gloves, Caps with turn downs over the ears, Rubber Shoes, Rubber Boots, Neckties, Mufflers, Mittens.

BUY EARLY---all goods sold subject to exchange

"MERRY CHRISTMAS"

Eckert's : Store

"ON THE SQUARE"
Gettysburg, Pa.

DOUGHERTY & HARTLEY

If in Search for Christmas Gifts

Our suggestions of useful and appropriate Gifts may help you in choosing to ones that will afford you pleasure in your Xmas giving and be acceptable to all. We offer a range of prices to enable shoppers to guide themselves as to amount needed.

Gifts for Men

Umbrellas - Prices \$1 to \$5
Gloves - 25c to 1.50
Handkerchief - 1c to 50c
Silk handkerchiefs - 25c to 1.00
Suspenders (in boxes) - 25 to 50c
Neckwear, Four-in-hand or string Ties - 25 to 50c
Mufflers - 25c to 1.50
Hosiery, per pair, (can supply boxes) Prices - 10 to 25c
Pocket books - 5c to 1.50
Underwear - 25c to 1.00
Dress shirts - 50c to 1.00
Pajamas, outing flannel, 85c to 1.25

For Home or Bath

Napkins - 1.00 to 5.00 per doz.
Towels - 10c to 1.50 each
Table linen - 25c to 1.50 per yd.
Comforts - 1.00 to 3.00 each
Blankets - 1.00 to 8.00 per pair
Counterpanes - 1.00 to 4.00 each

Gifts for Ladies

Fur Sets, muff and collar \$3.50 to \$25
Fur collar or stoles - 75c to 15.00
Silk petticoats - 3.50 to 8.00
Scarfs and chiffon veils - 50c to 1.75
Black skirts - 75c to 5.50
Umbrellas - 50c to 3.50
Dress goods - 25c to 1.50 per yd.
Silks - 25c to 1.50 " "
Waist fronts, goods to make them and patterns
Rugs - 1.00, 1.50, 2.00 up to 25.00
Sweaters - 1.50 to 5.00
Carpet sweepers - 2.50 to 3.50
Fascinators - 25c to 1.00
Stockings - 10 to 50c
Hand bags - 25c to 3.00

For the Children

Gloves, Mittens, Handkerchiefs,
Hose, Garters, Toques,
Fans, Ties, Dress Patterns,
Scarfs, Umbrellas, Sweepers.

Dougherty & Hartley

The Quality Shop

Christmas buyers will find our store the best place in the town to buy useful presents.

A Suit, Overcoat, Pair of Trousers or Fancy Vest

We have your father's or your brother's measure.

Neckwear	Suspenders	Shirts	Hosiery
Sweaters	Underwear	Gloves	Collars
Handkerchiefs	Handbags	Caps	Umbrellas
	Hats	Jewelry	

An early visit will convince you.

Seligman & McIlhenny

Tailors and Outfitters

New Bank Building

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SKATING RINKS
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BEST BAND ORGANS MADE
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Box 683 Factory, So. Thompson St.
NORTH TONAWANDA, N. Y.

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To You 2

Thousands more
wearing fur if they
could get them at
the right price.
We are meeting
the wants of
thousands by
manufacturing &
selling DIRECT
AT THE
USUAL PRICE.
We buy from the
trapper and sell
to the wearer
and cut out all
intermediate
profits.

**A PRIZE
—FUR—
BARGAIN**

A lovely set, \$97.95. Just like the above
picture. Front of fur, collar of
mink, ends finished with natural
hairs—\$8.50. Muff to match, \$8.50.
Full Set, Worth \$30.00, for \$15.00.

Sent express prepaid on receipt
of money order or registered letter for the
price and YOUR MONEY BACK if not
exactly as represented.

This is just a sample of hundreds of
similar bargains.

SEND FOR FREE CATALOGUE

A handsome book, illustrating the latest
New York and Paris models in FURS,
COATS, SKIRTS, STOLENS, MUFFS,
etc., at prices from \$2.50 to \$250.00. Write
today, so as to have time to select a fine
set of furs for yourself or for a Christmas
gift.

THE FASHION

M. H. BASH'S SONS

Penn and Fifth Sts., Reading, Pa.

Reference: Second National Bank, Reading.

Western Maryland R.R.

SEPT. 26, 1909.

Trains leave Gettysburg daily except
Sunday as follows:

6.52 a. m. for Baltimore, Hanover and
York and all intermediate points.

10.08 a. m. for Fairfield, Hagerstown
Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Han-
cock, Cumberland, Elkins and all
points westward.

3.42 p. m. for Baltimore, Hanover, York
and all intermediate points.

5.45 p. m. for B. & H. Div. Points to
Highfield, also Hagerstown, Waynes-
boro, Chambersburg, Shippensburg
and Hancock.

Sunday trains arrive at Gettysburg
at 10.35 a. m. and leave at 5.40 p. m.
for York and intermediate points. 5.50
p. m. for New Oxford, Hanover, Balti-
more and intermediate points.

A. Robertson, F. M. Howell,
V. P. & Gen. Mgr. G. P. A.

PRIVATE SALE.—Farm in Highland
township on road between Stone
Church and McCleary's School House,
containing 86 acres. Good buildings,
first-class improvements. Inquire of
Wm. & Wm Arch McClean.

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Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheuma-
tism and Neuralgia radically cures in
1 to 3 days. Its action upon the sys-
tem is remarkable and effective. It re-
moves the cause and the disease quick-
ly disappears. The first dose greatly
benefits. 75 cts. and \$1.00. Sold by
J. H. Huber, Druggist oct 25 fm

FOR SALE.—Property known as Lin-
wood, corner of High and Washing-
ton streets, 204 feet frontage. Apply
to Wm. & Wm Arch McClean.

"Read the Compiler."

**HUNTING
FISHING**

Half the fun of country
life is in these glorious
outdoor sports. To grab
your gun or rod for pleas-
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newly issued
"Hunt and Fish"
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50c) at
special price with
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Write for complete price
list. Send to
National Sportsman,
Box 100, New York
City.

25c.

NATIONAL SPORTSMAN, Inc., 100 Fulton St., New York

Agents wanted in every section for
the National Sportsman. Full partic-
ulars sent when you answer this advertisement.

**Intending to go out of business
between now and April 1st, we
will sell our entire stock consist-
ing of Dry Goods, Notions, Car-
pets, Oil Cloth, Linoleums, Hard-
ware, Paints, Iron, Steel, Etc, at
and below cost. Buyers can se-
cure bargains.**

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H. B. Bender,

UNDERTAKER AND EMBALMER.

Gives first class service. All
calls promptly answered either
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Telephone | House No 1909
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Record Your Deeds.

At this season when many deeds
are being passed, remember to protect
yourself against loss or deed being
burned by putting them on record. To
perfect title when deed is lost or de-
stroyed costs big money, which could
be saved by recording same for a very
small sum.

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The Fountain Head of Life Is The Stomach

A man who has a weak and impaired stomach and who does not
properly digest his food will soon find that his blood has become
weak and impoverished, and that his whole body is improperly and
insufficiently nourished.

DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY
makes the stomach strong, promotes the flow of
digestive juices, restores the lost appetite, makes
assimilation perfect, invigorates the liver and
purifies and enriches the blood. It is the great blood-maker,
stomach-builder and restorative nerve tonic. It makes men
strong in body, active in mind and cool in judgment.

This "Discovery" is a pure, glyceric extract of American medicinal roots,
absolutely free from alcohol and all injurious, habit-forming drugs. All its
ingredients are printed on its wrapper. It has no relationship with secret
medicines. Its every ingredient is endorsed by the leaders in all the schools of
medicine. Don't accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this time-proven
remedy of known composition. Ask your neighbors. They must know of
many cures made by it during past 40 years, right in your own neighborhood.
World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R. V. Pierce, Pres., Buffalo, N. Y.

Christmas

will soon be here when the world lays aside its cares and
brings forth its smiles and joyous greetings. WHY NOT
COMBINE USEFULNESS WITH YOUR CHRIST-
MAS GENEROSITY. There is nothing more Useful.
Appropriate or Acceptable as a present than

...Footwear...

Shoes, Slippers and Rubbers for any member (and all
members of the family); Tam O'Shanters and Toques
for the family.

"OUR PRICES NEVER EMPTY YOUR PURSE."

C. B. Kitzmiller

7 BALTIMORE STREET

REMOVAL

**The Gettysburg
National Bank**

**HAVE REMOVED FROM
York Street**

TO

**Winter Building
Chambersb'g St.**

**Where the bank will be located until
their new Banking house is erected on
the site of the present building.**

Closing - Out - Sale

**Intending to go out of business
between now and April 1st, we
will sell our entire stock consist-
ing of Dry Goods, Notions, Car-
pets, Oil Cloth, Linoleums, Hard-
ware, Paints, Iron, Steel, Etc, at
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Record Your Deeds.

At this season when many deeds
are being passed, remember to protect
yourself against loss or deed being
burned by putting them on record. To
perfect title when deed is lost or de-
stroyed costs big money, which could
be saved by recording same for a very
small sum.

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Cobless Corn.

And now its an Illinois farmer pre-
sents the country with an almost cob-
less corn. Perhaps the time is coming
when the diner munching corn will
not have to wrestle with the cob, and
rising generations will bless the man
who eliminated it. The new corn is
described as having each kernel grow-
ing on the parent stem instead of ad-
hering to a cob. The Illinois grower
says that he eliminated the cob by
taking the tip of each ear, and setting
only the very top kernels, and shortly
expects to evolve a perfectly cobless
corn. The Agricultural College of
that state is looking after the experi-
ment. Of course, like all improve-
ments, there are some disapprovers,
who remark:
"Where would be the delight of
munching corn if there were no cob
on which to sharpen the teeth?"—Joe
Mitchell Chapple, in "Affairs at
Washington," December National
Magazine.

G. W. WEAVER & SON'S

OVERFLOW

Xmas Offers

A page was not sufficient
in which to describe our
Christmas Goods. The fol-
lowing additional Attractive
Offers will be found in our
store, as well as many others
not mentioned.

Neck "Fixens"

If you want to give some little use-
ful thing that don't cost much, to
Mother, Sister, Friend—choose some-
thing from our great assortment of
Collars, Ties, Ruchings, &c. A
fancy box of Ruchings 6 for 50 cts, or
Tab or Jabot or fancy Collar cost
anywhere from 10 cts. to \$1.00.

Wonderful variety to choose from
here, unless you put it off until the
very last minute.

Phoenix Mufflers

Mufflers that a lady or man can
wear and look right and yet be com-
fortable in cold weather. Easily
unwrapped and put into the over-
coat pocket or bag. Beautiful line
of colors.

Price only 50c.

Leather Bags

Does your sweetheart, wife, sister
or friend have a genteel up-to-date
Hand Bag? If not, use one as a
Christmas gift. We are showing all
the new shapes in all kinds of leath-
er at 50 cts. up.

Special handsome line at \$2 & \$2.50.

Purses, Card Cases for the ladies and
Bill Books and Coin Purses for the men.

Just the thing for general use, 25
cts., 50 cts., to \$1.50; and an appre-
ciated gift for anyone.

Children's Bags and Purses

Nothing pleases the little Miss
more, 5, 10 and 25 cts.

Ladies' Beaded Hand Coin Purses 25,
50 and \$1.

Men's House Coats

Give hubby a House Coat to make
him feel that you think of his com-
fort—it will make him spend his
evenings at home if he has gotten
into the habit of going to see a man
every night—or has a lodge for every
night in the week. We are showing
a nice line of Kenyon's celebrated
make—double faced cloths, made
right to fit.

\$3.50, \$5.00 up to \$7.00

Better look this matter up early, as
we might not have the size in the
style you like and it would have to be
ordered.

Men's Blanket Bath Robes \$2.50 to \$5.

Stamped Linens

Cushion Tops
Table Tops
Yarns
Slipper Socks
Embroidery
Threads
Cotton, Silk and
Linen
Pillows
Ribbons

For articles that
require addition-
al handwork to
complete we are
fully stocked, as
well as the made
up articles in
each line.

Knit Scarfs and
Fascinators, To-
ques, Skating
Caps, etc.

Winter Underwear

Garments of shape and fit, that
will give freedom of motion, and
warmth. All sizes for all ages, Men,
Women and Children. Union Suits
—Separate pieces. A great assort-
ment of qualities. If you want to
use underwear for a present you will
find it here at any price you wish to
pay, and it will be right for the
price.

Special.—All our Oneita cut Union
Suits, Cotton, Wool and Cotton and
all Wool, for Children, Misses and
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Gettysburg Compiler
Gettysburg, Pa.
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 15, 1909
W. M. ARCH McCLEAN, Editor.
Subscription Price\$1.50 a Year.
Advertising Rates on Application.

EARLY XMAS SHOPPING.

Late Xmas Shopping is not only bad taste but often prevents a condition where neither merchant or shopper can do justice to the situation. It is bad taste to put off thinking of the good will of the Xmas time to be scattered by giving and then get busy at the last moment. The Xmas giving worth giving is worth thinking about leisurely and in time. To wait until the eleventh hour and get busy with others in the same boat and then when clerks have been fatigued and the late shopper is in the throes of fussiness over the undecided giving neither can do justice to the other. Shop early. The columns of the COMPILER are crowded with suggestions to the Xmas Shopper. It is up to every one to get busy for Xmas comes Saturday of next week.

WINTER PRIMARY.

The Spring election is Feb. 15. The Winter Primary the fourth Saturday before or Jan. 22 and nominations must be filed three weeks before the Winter Primary or last day is Saturday, Jan. 1st. All nominating petitions for Town Council, School Director, Judge of Elections, Inspectors and a number of other offices will be voted for at the Spring election and nominating petitions must be filed. Some of the officers chosen will serve for nearly two years by reason of operation of constitutional amendments. It is important in every district to put up the best possible ticket. Upon the Councilmen elected in Gettysburg will fall a portion of the work of getting the town ready for the 50th anniversary in 1913. Let our best and most progressive citizens be put in nomination.

INTERESTING FEATURE.

The most interesting figure at the recent Teachers' Institute was Prof. John W. Wolf, second to the oldest teacher in Pennsylvania. He commenced to teach in his 16th year and is teaching in Conowingo township in his 77th year. He has taught thirty years in Adams Co. and thirty years in York Co. He has been principal of schools at New Oxford, Littlestown, Abbottstown and Goldsboro. He proudly has preserved his certificates, the first issued by David Wills in 1855, his provisional certificate by W. Lee Campbell in 1857, by J. K. McIlhenny in 1859, by Aaron Sheely in 1863 and 1869 and from John C. Ellis of York Co. in 1862. His professional certificate dates from 1871 and has permanent certificate from 1875. Prof. Wolf retains a remarkable memory of the days he has taught school, covering the history of the schools for the past half century and knows how to tell that history in an interesting and entertaining way. The COMPILER has arranged with Prof. Wolf to give this paper his recollections. The first article is in hand and will appear in the first issue of COMPILER in the New Year.

Directors of Poor Organize.

The Directors of the Poor of the County met in session on Tuesday of last week for the purpose of reorganizing for the ensuing year.

The retiring Director, Emanuel G. Trostle, now residing at Cashtown, but who lived in Highland township when elected, proved himself during his three year term to be an able, conscientious and faithful official, showing the greatest interest in the management of the Almshouse and all its department and giving every detail of the work careful and thorough attention.

Jacob Goodenberger of Berwick twp. the newly elected Director of the Poor, met with his associates H. W. Taylor and Edward Bream, and the Board organized by electing H. W. Taylor president of the Board.

The following officers of the board were then elected: Stewart and Matron Wm. and Mrs. Harry Sheely, of Union township, all the remaining officers were re-elected. Secretary George Diller; Treasurer, Wm. F. Weaver; Physician, Dr. H. M. Hartman; Attorney C. E. Stahle, Esq., Day Nurses for Insane Department, Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Slonaker; Night Nurses for same Department, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Strasbaugh; Keepers of Old Men's Department, Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheely; First Teamster, Conrad Smith, and Matron of Old Women's Department, Mrs. Conrad Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Beard will retire as Steward and Matron of the County Home with a record of having managed the institution most efficiently. The farm has never looked better and the crops of the past year exceeded all former yields from the farm. There are few better farmers in this community than Mr. Beard and his family have proved to be. The

institution was well and carefully managed and there is nothing but praise to be said of their management. They make way in response to the desire for a change which makes its appearance after a Steward has held the position for three or four years. Mr. Beard took his position as Steward April 1st, 1906.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sheely, the newly elected Steward and Matron were born in Mt. Pleasant township Mr. Sheely being a son of Joseph Sheely and Mrs. Sheely a daughter of John Schwartz. For a number of years Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sheely have been managing the farm connected with Christ Church in Union township. He is known as one of the best farmers in his community and with his wife enjoys the highest respect of all who know him.

AN ORDINANCE

DEFINING THE SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM, designating the matter to be discharged therein, providing for the appointment of a Superintendent of Sewers, regulating connections therewith, and imposing penalties for violations.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Gettysburg, Pa., that it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of law:

Sec. 1. The sanitary sewer system of the Borough of Gettysburg, Penna., consists of conduits of salt glazed, vitrified, earthenware pipe, with necessary appurtenances, are designed to carry off all liquid house wastes and are known herein as sanitary sewers. The sewers in the streets and alleys passing the various lots are called main sewers. The sewers leading from the main sewers to the properties on either side are called house sewers.

Sec. 2. That all owners of property in the Borough abutting on or adjoining any street or alley in which is a public main sewer shall make connection with such sewer after the approval of this ordinance, in the manner and under the regulations hereinafter provided. The cost of making such connection shall be collected from the owner of the property, with twenty per centum added thereto according to law.

Sec. 3. The Town Council immediately after this ordinance goes into effect shall elect a suitable person to be Superintendent of Sewers, to hold office until the first Monday of March, 1910, and annually thereafter for the term of one year, subject to removal for cause at any time. He shall give bond to the Borough in the sum of three hundred dollars, with one or more sureties, to be approved by the Council, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties as herein mentioned and to be approved by the Council, and he shall receive such compensation and in such manner as the Council may determine before the time of his appointment. It shall be the duty of the Superintendent of Sewers to enforce strict compliance with the provisions of this ordinance, and also with all ordinances and regulations which may be passed hereafter and such other duties as the Town Council may prescribe.

Sec. 4. The Superintendent of Sewers shall have power and authority, at all reasonable times, to enter upon private property, together with tools, workmen and material, when such entry is necessary for the proper performance of his duties; and any person or persons who shall interfere with said officer in the performance of his official duties, or interrupt the same or who shall refuse to allow access to private property for the purposes herein or hereafter prescribed, shall for each offense upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five nor more than Twenty Dollars, to be recovered according to law.

Sec. 5. Any person, firm or corporation intending to make connection with the sewer system shall present an application to the Superintendent of Sewers, who shall cause the property to be drained or the authorized agent. A blank application will be furnished by the Burgess and must contain a statement that the applicant will indemnify and save harmless the Borough of Gettysburg from all accidents and damages, costs and counsel fees, caused by any negligence, in protecting his work, or by any faithful, imperfect or inadequate work done, and also that he will replace and restore the pavement, sidewalk or street surface over any opening he may have made to as good a state as its condition as it was before, and to the satisfaction of the Borough Council, for a period of six months hereafter. It shall also state the location of the property, the name of the owner and the name of the person, if any, employed to do the work. No permit shall be deemed to authorize anything not stated in the application, and for any misrepresentation in the application the plumber or person making the application shall be held liable for any damages that may result therefrom or any fine imposed therefor.

Sec. 6. The Town Council shall have the absolute control of the manner of construction of all private, house sewers, drains or pipes connecting with the public sewer, and no such sewer, drain or pipe shall be connected with the public sewer unless in conformity with the rules and regulations adopted by the Council. The Superintendent of Sewers shall designate the position of the "Y" branch in the street or alley, and all connections made with the main sewer and all plumbing connections, shall be made under his direction.

Sec. 7. The sum of Seventy-five Cents shall be paid for inspection and permit to tap any sewer, and it shall be lawful for the Burgess upon receipt of the said sum, to issue a permit for that purpose to any person who has complied with the provisions of this ordinance, but not until that portion of the system has been approved and accepted by Council.

Sec. 8. The Superintendent is to be given notice when any work is ready for inspection and the work must be left uncovered and convenient for examination until inspected and approved, and such inspection shall be made immediately after notification. The applicant or the plumber employed by him shall remove or repair any defective material or labor when so ordered by the Superintendent.

Sec. 9. No open gutter, cesspool or privy vault shall be connected with any main sewer. Cellars may be connected with the main sewer only when they can be tapped in such a manner that the water seal cannot be destroyed. All cellars connected with a main sewer shall have over the open end a fixed screen or grating with meshes or perforations not larger than 1-4 of an inch, and which shall not be removed without permission of the Superintendent.

Sec. 10. No person, firm or corporation shall incur, break or remove any portion of any manhole, lamphole, flush tank, catch basin or any part of the sewer system, or throw or deposit or cause to be thrown or deposited in any sewer opening, sink, water closet or other receptacle connecting with the sewer system any garbage, butchering or other refuse, dead animals, vegetable parings, ashes, cinders, rags or any other matter or thing whatsoever, except faces, urine and the necessary water closet paper, which shall be regular toilet (tissue) paper.

Sec. 11. No person, firm or corporation desiring to lay pipes for water, gas, electric current, steam or any other purpose, in any street upon which sewers are laid, shall give at least thirty days notice to the Superintendent before opening the street or alley, and the manner of excavating, laying and back filling over such pipe shall be subject to the approval of the Superintendent. All such work shall be done at a excavated so that no injury or damage shall occur to any main or house sewer.

Sec. 12. The Superintendent shall have

full power to stop and prevent from discharging into the sewer any privy or house sewer through which substances are discharged which are liable to injure the sewers or obstruct the flow of the sewer.

Sec. 13. Before any old drain or sewer shall be connected with the sewer system the owner of the private drain or sewer shall prove to the satisfaction of the Superintendent that it is clean and conforms in every respect to these rules and regulations.

Sec. 14. The house sewer trench shall be dug so as to meet the main sewer at the position of the "Y" branch located by the Superintendent. The material thrown from the trench shall be so placed as not to obstruct public travel and so as to cause the least inconvenience. Proper barriers and lights must be placed around the trench so as to guard the public against accidents. In back filling the earth shall be carefully rammed or flooded so as to keep the pipe in proper condition and avoid settling, and no stone shall be used in filling until there has been a depth of one foot of fine earth or gravel placed over the pipe.

Sec. 15. The house sewer from a point five feet outside of the house to the main sewer shall be of first quality salt-glazed, vitrified, earthenware pipe. Its interior diameter shall be six inches. No earthen pipe shall be laid under any dwelling house or other building.

Sec. 16. The cover at the end of the "Y" branch of the main sewer shall be removed only by the Superintendent. The pipe on house sewers shall be laid on an even grade of not less than 1-4 of an inch to the foot, unless by special permission of the Superintendent, when provision must be made for the proper drainage of the house sewer. It shall be used for every deflection from a straight line of more than six inches in two feet. The joints of the earthenware pipe shall be made pure with Portland cement of first quality, to be prepared one part cement and two parts sharp sand, the joints of the iron pipe shall be of oakum and lead. The ends of all house sewers not immediately connected with the plumbing fixtures shall be securely closed with water-tight impervious material. If lead pipe the end must be soldered, if cast iron pipe a cast iron plug must be called in with the lead.

Sec. 17. All material used in house sewers must be of good quality and free from defects and the work must be executed in a thorough and workmanlike manner. No soil or waste pipe shall have a fall of less than two inches in ten feet and only cast iron soil pipe shall be used in dwelling houses and other inside plumbing.

Sec. 18. The pipe in the house sewer must be at least four inches interior diameter at every point. No trap or manner of obstruction to the free flow of air through the whole course of the house sewer or soil pipe shall be allowed. No pipe shall be connected with the main sewer will be granted unless there is a vent pipe extending from the sewer pipe to the house top as herein provided. This may be secured by an untrapped house sewer and soil pipe, or if a pipe is placed in the main soil pipe by a ventilating pipe leading to the roof from the lower side of the trap and a fresh air inlet connecting with the main soil pipe just above the trap. Every vertical soil and waste pipe must be extended at least two feet above the highest part of the roof or coping. It must not be less than three inches in diameter in any place, without return bend and with open or basket end. It must not open near a window nor an air shaft which ventilates living rooms. Provided that all houses in which plumbing has been done heretofore and having a smaller vent pipe than that herein provided shall not be disturbed or affected by the section.

Sec. 19. Sinks in all packing houses, butcher shops, hotels, restaurants, boarding houses and laundries shall be provided with a suitable grease trap. Rain water conductors shall not be connected with the sewers. Overflows from fixtures must in each case be connected on the left side of the trap.

Sec. 20. The construction and maintenance of cesspools in any yard or other exposed place upon any property abutting on or adjoining any street or alley in which is a main sewer is hereby prohibited within the Borough limits. Provided that water closets so located may be built and used or maintained if they are of such design that all working parts are trapped and at least two and one-half feet below the ground and shall be surrounded and encased in a pit at least 26 inches square, or if circular 26 inches in diameter, to be surrounded by a brick wall not less than nine inches in thickness. The floor covering the pit shall be supplied with a trap door, so that the pit and closet may be easily inspected. No water closet can be used without proper arrangements for traps for the purpose of being in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance. The above mentioned pit may be dispensed with if a frost-proof water closet is used.

Sec. 21. Exit pipes to all fixtures except water closets shall be fitted with solid sink pan with 1-4 inch perforated holes in bottom.

Sec. 22. No person shall willfully injure, damage or destroy any part or parcel of any sewer or its connections, constructed, laid or connected under the provisions of this ordinance, or owned and operated by the Borough.

Sec. 23. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall on conviction be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than Twenty nor less than Five Dollars, recoverable according to law.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this 7th day of Dec., 1909.
J. B. HAMILTON, Pres. Town Council.
Attest: C. B. KITZMILLER, Sec.
Approved this 7th day of Dec., 1909.
J. A. HOLTZWORTH, Burgess.

SHERIFF'S SALES

In pursuance of a writ of fieri facias, issuing out of the Court of Common Pleas, Adams County, and to me directed, I shall be exposed to public sale on Saturday, the 8th day of January, 1910, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon at the Court House in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pa., the following real estate, viz:

No. 1. A tract of unimproved mountain timberland situate in Hamilton township, Adams County, Pa., adjoining several tracts of land of James McIlhenny, Esq., Bishop, Ed. Strasbaugh and others, containing 5 acres and 127 perches.

No. 2. A tract of unimproved mountain timberland situate in Hamilton township, Adams County, Pa., containing 6 acres and 147 perches, adjoining lands of James Marshall, Samuel Bishop, Ed. Strasbaugh, and others, along the Cold Springs road.

No. 3. The Defendant's interest in a tract of unimproved mountain timberland situate in Hamilton township, Adams County, Pa., containing 131 acres and 3 perches, lying off the east side of what is locally called Jack's Mountain, adjoining lands of Benjamin Carson, Catharine King Wm. F. Watson and others.

No. 4. The Defendant's interest in a tract of unimproved mountain timberland situate in Hamilton township, Adams County, Pa., containing 131 acres and 3 perches, lying off the east side of what is locally called Jack's Mountain, adjoining lands of Benjamin Carson, Catharine King Wm. F. Watson and others.

No. 5. A tract of land situate in Straban township, Adams County, Pa., on the State road leading from Gettysburg to York Springs, about 4 miles from Gettysburg, adjoining lands of John P. Cline, Esq., and Emory Cleveland, J. M. Watson, Esq., Plank, John Cleveland, Wm. McIlhenny and Jacob Rummel, containing 172 acres and 4 perches, improved with a two story brick house, outkitchen, lay shed, wagon shed, good barn, chicken house, hog pen and well of water. Seized and taken into execution as the property of Lewis Mizell, and to be sold by me.

ELIAS FISSEL, Sheriff.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money upon all sales by the sheriff must be paid over immediately after the property is struck down or, upon failure to pay, the property will be put again for sale.
Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, Pa., Dec. 10, 1909.

ELECTION

AN election for eleven Managers of the "Adams County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," will be held at the office of the Company in Gettysburg, on MONDAY, JANUARY 2nd, between the hours of 1 and 2 p. m. The Executive Committee will meet at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the same day.
G. H. BUEHLER, Secretary.

Post 9, G. A. R. Elects Officers.

Corporal Skelly Post No. 9, G. A. R., elected officers last week as follows: Commander, Dr. T. C. Billheimer; Sr. Vice Commander Wm. H. Bennett; Jr. Vice Commander Wm. A. McIlhenny; Quartermaster H. W. Lightner; Surgeon Dr. C. E. Goldsborough; Officer of the Day S. H. Buehler; Officer of the Guard Wm. H. Lady; Chaplain Lt. P. L. Houck; Patriotic Instructor Calvin Hamilton; Delegate Hon. Wm. T. Ziegler; Alternate H. W. Lightner; Trustee J. W. Flaherty.

Attractive Home Gifts

The Xmas Gift

That makes the home more inviting and convenient is the right kind of a Christmas gift. The Gettysburg Supply House offers a large array of such Home Gifts as Glass Towel Bars, Nickel Towel Bars Porcelain Mirrors, Umbrella Holders, Tooth Brush Holders, Fancy Soap Cups, Medicine Cabinets with Mirror Doors, Rubber Sink Pad, Shower Bath Fixtures, Rubber Mats for Bath Tub, Soap and Sponge Cups for Bath Tub, Nickel-plated Robe Holders.

Bath Tub Seats, Etc.

Perhaps you have been planning for the home a Bath Tub, Lavatory, Commode, Sink, or Wash Stand, and there would be no better time to go ahead and put them in. They will add wonderfully to the home and what has seemed luxuries will be soon realized as necessary conveniences. Be up-to-date by having them in the home. Call and see whether our goods and prices are not right and just what you want. We are prepared to install all these fixtures.

Hardware

A large line of Hardware of all varieties has been added to our store, Cutlery, Pocket Knives and the usual hardware articles.

Gas Fixtures

Then our line of Gas Fixtures, Lindsay Gas Lights and Mantles, and a full stock of Gas Goods, Globes, Shades, Brackets, Chandeliers, &c., will be found to be just the right goods and at all right prices that will save you money. Any of our gas goods that does not prove satisfactory will be replaced with new, and you will find our guarantee good. Our Brand New Store is crowded with Brand New Attractive Goods. Call and see what we have.

Gettysburg :: Supply :: House

J. R. Albin, Mgr.

J. G. SLONAKER, Prop.

30 York Street

Paradise for Gift Buyers

Studios and untiring efforts in the past few months on the part of our buyers has given us a stock of Christmas Goods which has never, we believe, been equalled in so small a town. We cannot begin to tell all we have in an advertisement, but we invite your Severest Personal Inspection.

Leather Goods

In every article made up of leather. We have in the various kinds of leather—

Hand Bags, Purses, Card Cases,
Lap Tablets, Collar Bags, Music Rolls,
Shopping Bags, Opera Bags, Bill Books,
Traveling Cases, Etc.

All these articles in various grades up to \$15.00

Box Paper

of the finest quality in short beautiful holiday attire.

Post Cards,

Booklets, Calendars, Cards, Tags and Seals. Everything to fix up a fancy package.

Empty Boxes

All sizes and shapes, in Holly and Poinsetta covering. It adds lustre to your present to put it in a nice box.

Childrens Dep't.

not forgotten, a full line of Books, Games, Blocks, Paints and many nice things to make them happy.

Perfume

The most gorgeous packages of cut glass bottles filled with high grade extracts, and smaller packages to suit all purses.

Toilet Cases

and Manicure Sets. A most handsome line of these sets on display in Gold, Silver, Ebony, Etc., in prices from 50c to \$12.00.

Metal Novelties

in Every Description. Ink stands, Ash Trays, Necktie Hangers, Frames, Book Cases and Ornaments of all descriptions.

Our store is filled from end to end with things that make your buying easy, such as photo albums, post card albums, jewel cases, bibles, books, candy, fine knives and razors, mirrors, brushes, collar, cuff and handkerchief boxes, shaving sets, fountain pens, cigars, Indian pottery and baskets, leather cushions and stand covers. Relieve your Xmas troubles by coming to our store.

Peoples Drug Store

25 Balto. St. Gettysburg.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Keystone Straw Stacker Co., of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pa., has executed a deed of voluntary assignment of all their estate, real and personal to the undersigned, for the benefit of creditors of said Keystone Straw Stacker Co. All persons indebted to said Keystone Straw Stacker Co. will make immediate payment and those having claims or demands will present the same without delay.
J. L. BUTT, Assignee.

CHARTER NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Hon. Samuel McC. Swope, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Pa., on the 3rd day of January, 1910, by Rev. Dr. T. J. Barkley, John L. Gerber, Rev. F. S. Lindaman, Oscar D. Gilbert, Rev. Ellis S. Hay, George M. Conover, Rev. E. Bruce Lytle, J. H. Maus, Rev. Dr. C. S. Slagle, Chas. S. Duncan, Rev. A. M. Cluck, and H. M. Hartman, for the charter of a corporation to be called the "George W. and Agnes Hoffman Organpipe," the character and object of which are to maintain and carry on an agricultural and household orphan's home for the male children to be taught all kinds of general farm work and the female children general house work; and for these purposes to have possession and enjoy, all the rights and privileges of the Corporation Act of 1874 and its supplements.
C. S. DUNCAN, Solicitor.

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ELECTION

NOTICE is hereby given to the stockholders of the Gettysburg National Bank that an election of nine Directors to serve one year, will be held at their Banking House on TUESDAY, JAN. 11th, 1910, between the hours of 1 and 3 p. m.
EDW. M. BENDER, Cashier.

Ayer's Hair Vigor
Ingredients: Sulphur, Glycerin, Quinin, Sodium Chlorid, Capsicum, Sage, Alcohol, Water, Perfume.
Anything injurious here? Ask your doctor.
Anything of merit here? Ask your doctor.
Will it stop falling hair? Ask your doctor.
Will it destroy dandruff? Ask your doctor.
Does not Color the Hair
J. C. AYER COMPANY, Lowell, Mass.

Economizes eggs, flour and butter; makes the biscuit, cake and pastry more appetizing, nutritious and wholesome



THE ONLY
Baking Powder
made from Royal
Grape Cream of Tartar
ROYAL
BAKING
POWDER
Absolutely Pure
Safeguards your food against
Alum and Lime Phosphate

new Lutheran Chapel at Smithsburg on Dec. 5th.

—Dr. J. E. Seebold, druggist of Carlisle, who formerly lived in Gettysburg, has sold his drug store to Dr. N. Ort Eckels son of the late Dr. G. W. D. Eckels of Shippensburg. Dr. Seebold will not leave Carlisle.

—High School Alumni will give play on this Friday evening, Dec. 17, in Walter's theatre.

—Mrs. H. T. Weaver and son, William spent a few days recently in Baltimore.

—Charles Sheaffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Sheaffer, North Washington St., is ill in Lancaster with typhoid fever.

—The Ladies Aid Society of the Great Conowago Presbyterian church of Hunterstown will meet at the home of Geo. G. Griffin Dec. 18, 1909. All are cordially invited.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sheely spent several days last week in Baltimore. —Author Sheely of Chicago, formerly of Bendersville is spending some time with his relatives in county.

—Mrs. S. McC. Swope has returned from a visit in Baltimore.

—Mrs. Frances Walter, who has spent the last year abroad, arrived in Baltimore last week.

—Miss Mary Pittman of McConeburg was a recent guest of her uncle, Emanuel Smith.

—Mrs. Crouse of Littlestown visited her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Crouse, Broadway.

—Xmas entertainment at Pitzer's school house on Friday evening, Dec. 17. If stormy it will be held on Saturday evening, Dec. 18.

—Dr. Sieber of Gettysburg, will deliver his lecture entitled "The Passing of the Boss, the Booze and the Boodle," at the Salem U. B. church, on Thursday evening of this week, Dec. 16th at 7.30 o'clock. Admission free.

—Mrs. John M. Warner on Monday last, attended the funeral of her last aunt, Mrs. Herman at Carlisle.

—Alonzo E. Wilson, Chairman of Illinois Prohibition party was in Gettysburg on Monday, and made arrangement with Geo. L. Kieffer, to deliver a series of lectures on Gettysburg.

—D. C. Stallsmith has bought house on Stratton St. from W. I. Oyley.

—Frank Eberhart has bought of his son George, the house on Chambersburg street, adjoining hotel, and used by Elks as home. The property will be made four stories to conform with hotel, and fitted up to use with hotel. The Elks April 1st move to Wine-mans building, Center Square.

—Judge S. McC. Swope and Jury Commissioners John M. McKim and Henry Menges, were busy last week filling jury wheel.

—The scaffolding in front of Gettysburg National Bank, was removed last week and building presents a very handsome appearance.

—The Virginia Monument Commission has selected for the Lee statue, the fine site on Confederate Ave., at Spangler's Woods.

—Mrs. Samuel Dotterer and her mother Mrs. Mary Pfeffer returned last week from extended western trip.

ELECTION

NOTICE is hereby given to the stockholders of the Citizens' Trust Company of Gettysburg that an election of fourteen Directors to serve for one year, will be held at the Banking House of said corporation in Gettysburg, on MONDAY, the 10th of JAN., 1910, between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock a. m.

ELECTION

NOTICE is hereby given to the stockholders of the First National Bank of Gettysburg that an election of seven Directors to serve one year, will be held at their Bank Building on TUESDAY, JAN. 11, 1910, between the hours of 1 and 3 p. m.

Dainty Christmas Gifts!

THE Xmas buyers will find an assortment of Dainty Gifts at our Store that cannot help but please those who receive them and the one who gives wants to please the ones given to.

Latest Style Fancy Box Papers,
Eaton, Huribert & Co.
Ward & Co.

Fine Box Candies or Chocolate.
Kuyler's and Lowney's

Toilet, Cologne and Waters in Fine Boxes.

A Large Assortment of Xmas Cards and Booklets.
Call Early and Make Your Selection.

Huber's Drug Store,

Baltimore St., Gettysburg.

The Citizens' Trust Company

Of Gettysburg

Invites your attention to its following comparative statement, covering a period of five years of prosperity, . .

Total Business Fall of 1904	\$386,666.40
Deposits	210,950.70
Trust Funds as Guardian and Trustee	1,519.02
Total Business Fall of 1906	\$491,985.76
Deposits	319,224.69
Trust Funds as Guardian and Trustee	8,729.89
Total Business Fall of 1909	\$626,400.96
Deposits	440,177.95
Trust Funds as Guardian and Trustee	93,800.11

How does it appear to you for conservative Management—Substantial Growth. :: :: :: :: :: ::

A Share of your Business solicited.

R. WM. BREAM,
Treasurer.

Xmas Bargains

THERE are special reasons why we are offering Christmas Bargains in Clothing. It is our purpose to close out entirely our ready-made Clothing. The Fall and Winter Clothing of this season will be sold at cost and all remaining stock of Ready-made Clothing at Half Price. You will find Bargains such as you have never been offered before.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

This Sacrifice Sale of Clothing is to make a specialty of Shoes and Gent's Furnishings. We have a fine line of the famous Crawford Shoe and they will be found to be the Foot Wear in all the late styles.

Our Men's Furnishing Department is full of Christmas Bargains.

Neckties, fancy Vests, Sweater Coats, Handkerchiefs in boxes, Leggings, Suspenders, latest thing in Hats and Caps, Rubber Goods of all descriptions, Boots, Shoes, Arctics, etc. Then we have Suit Cases, Umbrellas, and many other articles. Be sure to look at our

Millinery Department

For the many Bargains offered.

D. J. REILE & CO.,

Chambersburg street, Gettysburg.

Xmas Suggestions

Let us Help you with your Selections and can show a large variety

Buggy, Set of Harness, Robe or Blanket, Scissors, Pocket Knives, Carving Set, Aluminum Cooking Utensils,

And there are none better,

Leather Goods, Pocket Books, Suit Cases, Hand and Traveling Bags,

Have just received a lot of

Nice Sleighs,

Come in and see them before buying—Prices right.

Also carry in stock a complete line of

Builders Hardware

Paints, Oil, Glass, and Harness of all kinds.

J. H. Colliflower,

19, 21 and 23 Baltimore Street, Gettysburg.

Oh, what a chance for

Christmas Shoppers,

A Dollar for Seventy-five cents.

25 PER CENT. DISCOUNT.

JUST a few words by way of explanation so that the people may understand the full meaning of this great Reduction Sale. This is simply a Sale to reduce our stock and to turn it into cash speedily. Walk right in—don't stay away. You can wait on yourself. Deduct 25 per cent. from the price marked on the goods, give in the balance and the goods are yours. It's fair, it's square, it's an honorable sale and a money saving opportunity. Sparing nothing, reserving nothing, you can't afford to miss it. You will appreciate the goodness of our offer if you favor us with a call. No goods charged at this reduction sale. Our store is full of plums for your Christmas pie. Come and see. We will present a useful Christmas Present to every lady purchaser during this Sale.

We have everything that's New and Beautiful and Excellent in

Jewelry	Mirrors	Ink Stands	Jewel Boxes	Watches	Brushes	Paper Weights.	Handkerchief Boxes
Clocks	Cut Glass	Candelbras	Crumb Trays	Silverware	Jardeniers	Match Safes	Cracker Jars
Tea Sets	Fern Dishes	Glove Boxes	Candelabrams	Coffee Sets	Combs	Shaving Sets	Society Emblems
Pens	Eye Glasses	Spectacles	Clock Ornament	Pencils	Bon Bons	Nakora Vases	Salt and Peppers
	Toilet Ware,		Candle Sticks		Pin Cushions		Smoking Set

Before Buying Christmas Gifts

Be sure to visit this old established store which is now brim full of just the kind of presents you would like to give. It's a stock to enlist the interest of every taste and satisfy the demand of any pocket book. Mr. Penrose Myers will assist us during this sale.

Gettysburg Jewelry & Souvenir Co.,

Successor to Penrose Myers.

12 Baltimore street,

Gettysburg, Pa.

C-H-A-I-R U-P

COME IN and sit on one of our comfortable Rockers just received. Bring your friend with you. We can seat 100 of them and no two will sit on the same kind of a rocker. If you want to buy one of these that is comfortable to you, it will cost you what it costs us with a profit added to run our business, and considering the amount of business done we do not add very much to any one article.

The balance of our stock is as large in proportion as the number of rockers.

CHAS. S. MUMPER CO.

BUY Your Xmas Fruits and Nuts FROM

U. AMBROGIA FRUIT CO.

Our line for this Christmas exceeds that of all previous years

California Oranges
Tangerines
Grapefruit
English Walnuts
Butternuts
Pecans

Florida Oranges
Lemons
Malaga Grapes
Almonds (paper shell)
Hazelnuts
Bananas

Confections

Pure Italian Olive Oil

NO. 6 BALTIMORE STREET

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In pursuance of writs of fieri facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, and to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale on Thursday, the 30th day of December, 1909, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court house in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Penna., the following viz: A property situated on West Middle Street in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pa., fronting 43 feet on West Middle Street and running back 169 feet to a public alley, improved with a two story cement house, chicken house, and hog pen. Adjoining on the east property of Miss Jennie Sharran and on the west property of Thad Warren.

Seized and taken into execution as the property of Annie R. Galbraith and Jos. T. Galbraith.

Also, A farm situated in Mt. Joy Township, Adams County, Penna. on the road leading from Yost's store to the Littlestown road, one half mile from Yost's store. Adjoining lands of Charles Yost, Jim Scriber, Jesse Snyder and Hon. S. McCaw, containing 54 acres of land, improved with a two story frame house, good sized barn, out house, chicken house, hog pen, fruit trees and well of water.

Seized and taken into execution as the property of C. H. Rickard and to be sold by me.

Also, A house and lot, situated in Hunterstown Adams County, Pa., described as follows: 80 foot front, (more or less), and 200 feet deep, (more or less), improved with a two story frame dwelling house, chair maker's shop and a lot of fruit trees. Adjoining lands of John Tauchinbaugh, on the east and Dr. C. E. Goldsboro on the north. Seized and taken into execution as the property of William T. Little, and to be sold by me.

ELIAS FISSEL, Sheriff.

Ten per cent of the purchase money upon all sales by the sheriff must be paid over immediately after the property is struck down or, upon failure to comply therewith, the property will be put again for sale.

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, Pa., Nov. 29th, 1909.

NOTICE.

To the members of the Menallen Monthly Meeting of Friends: Whereas, on the 6th day of December, 1909, the Trustees of the Menallen Monthly Meeting of Friends presented their petition to the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, setting forth that said Menallen Monthly Meeting of Friends is the owner of a tract of land in Butler township, Adams County, Pa., containing 22 acres and 1/2 perches, which has been abandoned by said society as place of worship, and praying for an order of sale of said tract of land, at private sale to the purchasers and at the prices received in said petition.

Whereupon said Court fixed the 3rd day of January, 1910, at 10 o'clock, a. m. for the purpose of hearing said petition and directed a citation to issue directed to all persons in being who have not appeared, who shall have any present or expected interest in the premises, commanding them to appear at said time and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

You are therefore notified to appear in said Court on the 3rd day of January, 1910 at 10.30 o'clock a. m., and show cause, if any of you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. By order of said Court.

W. A. TAUCHINBAUGH, Prothonotary.

AUDITORS NOTICE.

THE undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans Court of Adams County to make distribution of the estate of Samuel B. Wiest, dec'd, late of East Berlin Borough, Adams Co., Pa., as shown by the first and final account of Daniel L. Wiest and Alexander H. Hubley, executors of the last will and testament of Samuel B. Wiest dec'd to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Gettysburg to discharge the duties of his appointment on Thursday, Jan. 6 1910 at 10.00 a. m., when and where all parties interested are notified to attend.

J. L. HILL, Auditor.

Spangler's Music House

Why Not Make the Christmas Gift of a Piano?

Why Not Add the Cheer of Music to the Household this Season by buying a Piano?

The Piano will help much to make Merry with during the Holiday Season.

Spangler's Music House

GETTYSBURG, PA.



Santa Clause is Running This Store, Come See What he Has

Christmas Sale--'09

Boys' Clothing

\$7 and \$8 Suits and Overcoats. High grade fabrics and good styles. Russian, Sailor, Knickerbocker and double-breasted suits. Full length overcoats in gray, brown mixture, blue and olive mixture, 3 to 16 years. Regular \$7.00 and \$8.00 values. Special \$4.98

Corduroy Pants

Men's regular \$2.00 kind, Sale \$1.29
Fine Linen Cord, peg tops, lined and unlined, light and dark shades. Regular \$3.00, Sale \$1.98
Very best quality linen cord, worth \$3.50 to \$4.00. Sale \$2.49

Suspenders

Big line of fine suspenders from 7c to 50c.

Now for the Holidays

With the passing of Thanksgiving our thoughts turn toward that great gift giving day--Christmas--which is near at hand. We've been preparing for the Holiday trade for weeks, brought the best here for you to select from, useful articles at prices that are sure to tempt you. No trouble finding just what you want at just the price. Never have selections been more beautiful. We urge early buying, the stocks are at their best now, and many of the finest fancies cannot be duplicated. For a Man or a Boy's Present buy what he is going to buy for himself. Buy it where he buys--at a man's store. Come and see our Christmas Haberdashery.

Hats, Caps, Neckwear

We have a big line of hats, caps and neckwear, latest styles at moderate prices.

Hosiery and Underwear

We have a hundred special bargains in our Men's Furnishing section that we have not room to mention in this advertisement. Natural gray or jaeger color, well made, heavy fleece lined, regular 50c. kind. Sale 37 1-2c

Half Hose

3 pairs for 25c. Men's regular made half hose. Soft maco yarn, fas colors, spliced heels and toes, elastic tops and seamless feel, sizes 9 1-2 to 11. Regularly sold at 2 prs. for 25c. Special now 3 prs. for 25c.

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A. O. STEVENS,
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

CALVIN P. KRIS ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on estate of Calvin P. Kris, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, they hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

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Particular attention is called to the 19th section of the By-Laws, viz: That hereafter on all assessments made on premium notes, demand shall be made upon each policy holder so assessed for the amount due on the premium note, and if not paid within sixty days from date of such demand the policy shall be null and void and of no effect.

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In the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Subpoena No. 126, August Term, 1909, Allice Carey vs. John T. Reilly.

TO ALICE CAREY REILLY, Respondent. You are hereby notified, in pursuance of the continued order of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, to be and appear in the said Court on Monday, the 3d day of January, next, (1910) to answer the petition and complaint, and show cause, if any you have, why the said John T. Reilly should not be divorced from the bond of matrimony entered into with you, agreeably to the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided. Hereof fail not, under penalty of having the petition heard and a decree of divorce granted against you in your absence.

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EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

JAMES DEVINE ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on estate of James Devine, late of the Township of Concord, Adams County, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, she hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

AGNES DEVINE, Executrix, Edge Grove.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

SARAH MARCH ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on estate of Sarah March, late of the township of Butler, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

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TAX APPEAL FOR 1910

The Commissioners of Adams county hereby give notice that they have received the following taxes and places for holding tax appeals for 1910 in the several boroughs and townships of Adams county, when and where they will attend to hear appeals between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. on each day as follows:

For the Township of Cumberland, on Wednesday, Dec. 1, 1909, Commissioners' Office.

For the 1st and 2nd wards, Gettysburg Borough, Thursday, Dec. 2, 1909, Commissioners' Office.

For the 3rd ward, Gettysburg, and Township of Freedom, on Friday, Dec. 3, 1909, Commissioners' Office.

For the Townships of Hamilton, Liberty, Highland and Fairfield Borough, Monday, Dec. 6, 1909, at the public house of Geo. Kebl, in Fairfield.

For the Township of Franklin and Arundelville Borough, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1909, at the Rock Top Hotel in Casttown.

For the Township of Gettysburg and Biglerville Borough, on Thursday, Dec. 9, 1909, at Public House of George Hoover in Biglerville.

For the Township of Butler and Biglerville Borough, on Friday, Dec. 10, 1909, at the Public House of Aaron Schlosser in Biglerville.

For the Townships of Germany and Union and the Borough of Littlestown, on Saturday, Dec. 11, 1909, at house of Geo. W. Brumgard in Littlestown.

For the Townships of Tyrone, Latimore, Huntingdon and the Borough of York Springs, on Monday, Dec. 13, 1909, at Smith's Hotel in York Springs.

For the Township of Reading on Tuesday, Dec. 14, 1909, at the National Hotel in Hampton.

For the Township of Hamilton and the Borough of East Berlin, on Wednesday, Dec. 15, 1909, at the Sunday House in East Berlin.

For the Township of Berwick and Berwick Borough, on Thursday, Dec. 16, 1909, at the Sunday House in Berwick.

For the Township of Conowingo and the 1st and 2nd wards of the Borough of McSherrytown, on Friday, Dec. 17, at the Union Hotel, McSherrytown.

For the Township of Oxford and the Borough of New Oxford, on Saturday, Dec. 18, 1909, at Hotel Oxford in New Oxford.

For the Township of Strasburg on Monday, Dec. 20, 1909, at the White House of F. Mc Thomas in Hunterstown.

For the Township of Mountjoy, on Wednesday, Dec. 22, 1909, at the Election House at Two Tanners.

For the Township of Mountpleasant on Thursday, Dec. 23, 1909, at the Hotel in Bonneville, kept by John Wagner.

On the same date the County Commissioners and Assessors of the respective districts will meet to review the military enrollment and determine who are exempt from military duty.

By order of the Commissioners, S. MILEY MILLER, Clerk.

The undersigned Board of Revision will attend at the various places of holding appeals to finally determine whether or not the valuations of the Assessors have been made below a just rate according to the Act of Assembly.

J. A. KANE, Z. H. CASHMAN, W. R. WEIKERT, County Commissioners.

NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Pennsylvania, April Term, 1909. No. 1. In Equity. TAYLOR LELAND, a bond-holder, stockholder and creditor of the Gettysburg Transit Company on behalf of himself and such other stockholders and creditors as may become parties hereto, Plaintiffs.

vs. THE GETTYSBURG TRANSIT COMPANY, a corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, and resident thereof, and the West End Trust and Safe Deposit Company, a corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, and resident thereof, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that the report of C. Taylor Leland, Receiver of the Gettysburg Transit Company, containing statement of the West End Trust and Safe Deposit Company (now the West End Trust Company), Trustees of the property, premises and franchises of the said Gettysburg Transit Company, and showing a distribution of the proceeds thereof, has been filed and confirmed nisi by the said Court, and that if no exceptions be filed in the meantime the said sale and distribution will be confirmed absolutely on the 1st day of DECEMBER, 1909.

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HIS BURDEN OF HATRED

BY EDITH BROWNELL

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Harold Carrington Hopkins, Jr., sat on the front steps of his father's house and darkly brooded over the peculiar hardness of his fate. It was shortly after nine o'clock of a particularly promising Saturday morning, but already years of fruitless inertia seemed to have passed since the blasting hour of breakfast, when the flat had gone forth which had turned the day into a thing of empty torture.

The quiet, sunny avenue was deserted, but from a neighboring vacant lot came the mighty yells of his fellows, wallowing luxuriously in the biggest football game of the season; while he, the captain of their dauntless Eleven—for you, called it an Eleven, just the same, if it did have only eight in it—was condemned to sit here apart or descend to the alternative of playing with his sister in the back yard.

He sank deeper into the rolling collar of his sweater at the mere thought. Play with his sister—the ignominy of it! Even now shrill feminine laughter floated to him around the corner of the house, where she and two or three feeble females who endured her society were having a silly game of mummy-peg. He scowled contemptuously. The idea of playing a game of mummy-peg. Of course in mummy-peg time, a fellow might play a bit, perhaps—but in football time?

No! he would sit here and suffer alone. He leaned limply forward, sunk in gloomy reflections, one hand supporting his chin, while the other absently sought and encouraged a raveled place which had started in his stocking. His melancholy eye followed the long line of white as it crept slowly down his leg.

Things had begun so singularly well for him, too, that crisp October morning. Upon rising he had not only skillfully evaded the customary absurd vetting of his face, but had with deftness inserted upon his person a pair of his father's cast-off suspenders, a forbidden and hitherto unachieved luxury. He felt of them now where, beneath his outer garment, they girt him strongly and helped him to bear his trouble like a man.

It had been a proud moment indeed when he had been chosen captain. To be sure, this was an honor bestowed not entirely because of his prowess, but because he was the only one who possessed a nose-guard—an obsolete one which Uncle Ted had given him, and which transformed him into a being of dread appearance and vast importance—but it was an honor, nevertheless, and one scarcely less envied than the nose-guard itself.

And now he was not to play any more, because—further—his mother thought it was dangerous! He fumed at the recollection.

"I know the little boys do not mean to be rough, darling," she had said, "but you do play so recklessly, and mother worries so."

Aw, did she think they were babies? Wasn't he eight already, and only 11 months before he would be nine. 'Fraid he'd get hurt! Aw, shucks!

He had pleaded piteously, for the boys were waiting impatiently at the terrace, and she had wavered a little, while he hung poised for flight. Then it was that she had done the most dastardly thing a mother ever thought upon to do. She had leaned down, laid her hand upon his tousled head until his face was lifted up to hers, and said, gently:

"You may, dear, but mother wishes you wouldn't."

Of all phases calculated to drive a boy into speechless, grinding rage, this was the one. He—just almost hated her for it. He had gone forth from her presence in mute, defeated fury. A flat, emphatic "No" was bad enough, to be sure; but at least there was the palliating satisfaction of loud-voiced protest.

The shouts from the field were growing more strident. The game was indeed on, and he was missing it! Now the shrieks were loud and rent the air musically; anon they became subdued and smothered, and he clutched the steps spasmodically at thought of the tangled pile of arms and legs and squirming bodies beneath which he, too, would now rapturously be buried, were he only there.

Why not go, anyway? "You may, dear," . . . He started to his feet and gave one leap to the front of the steps.

"But mother wishes you wouldn't."

He sat down again, hard. The helpless rage rose fierce and choking within him.

"I do! I hate her!" he said, aloud. He sat very still as the words died on the air. Some way they sounded so—so much bigger, or something, spoken than thought. They seemed to settle down upon him and make him feel queer—as if he were all alone in the world.

He had never thought very much about his mother before. She—she had just always been there, and . . . But now that he hated her she loomed before him quite as if she were another person.

She would know, of course. She always did know things, no matter how hard he tried to keep them from her.

He strolled unseeingly about the yard. Perhaps, after all, it would be just as well to go and show those

girls how to play a real game of mummy-peg.

As he passed under the library windows, open to let in the warm autumn sunshine, he heard mother's voice at the telephone. It sounded low and distressed, and she gave a little cry as if something had hurt her. What if she knew already and was telephoning father about it. A boy who hated his mother!—it seemed to brand him as something blackly criminal. If he only hadn't said it out loud! It might have been retrievable then.

The girls seemed to have no need of him, and he wandered heavily about the garden, the load of hatred which he had so lightly cast upon the air dragging leaden at his heels. Queer how his hatred of mother had grown so much bigger than the thing he hated her for.

When he was called in to luncheon, he crept into the house the back way to avoid her; and—simply for the purpose of postponing the moment for confronting her, of course—he made a rather elaborate toilet, copiously wetting and soaping his face and hands, and wiping the dirt off thoroughly on the towel.

When he went to the table he studiously avoided mother's face for awhile, stealing a glance at it finally over his glass of milk. Then he set the glass down precipitately, for he saw that his worst fears were realized—she knew! She was very pale, sad and silent, and her eyes were heavy with crying. She was apparently unconscious of his presence, not seeming to see him even when she looked at him, and speaking only mechanically. He tried to eat, but even the apple puffs which were the delight of his heart swelled in his throat and refused to go down.

After luncheon things grew steadily worse. He idled about a few minutes, but mother ignored him. Then it was that he went up to his room, and, peeling off his sweater, slowly removed the suspenders. The things were too heavy, anyway, and stuck into him; and, besides, he didn't care for that blue and white stripe in them. When he grew up he was going to wear bright red ones always. Mother was very fond of red. Perhaps by that time he wouldn't hate her any more, and some time in those years to come mother would smile at him again, and blow kisses to him as he started to school.

The marbles were playing a regular game down his cheeks now. They fell on the big red "W" and chased each other down to the roll in the bottom of his sweater; but he had lost all interest in them, as he had in everything else in the world. He was so tired of hating mother! How could he ever go through the long, heavy years?

Suddenly a brilliant, an illuminating thought struck him. Suppose he didn't have to wait years to stop! Suppose he didn't hate her any longer at all! Just because he had said he did, he didn't have to . . .

He took the stairs two at a time, his heavy shoes crashing eagerly, forgetfully, on the polished steps. Mother was just turning away from the telephone again, but—oh, wonderful woman!—she knew already that his hatred was a thing of the past; for, though the tears were still banging upon her lashes, she was smiling through them and holding out her arms to him!

He threw himself at her blindly. "Oh, mother, I don't, I don't, I don't!" he sobbed.

His mother looked down at him in amazement; then, sitting down in what she called her "mothering chair," she drew him upon her shoulder.

"Don't what, dear?" she asked, tenderly. "What is the matter with my little boy? Don't what?"

"Hate you!" he gulped, wildly.

"Hate mother?" she repeated, softly. "Why, of course you don't. Did you think I thought you did?"

"But—but you didn't smile at me, or look at me, and—and you cried. . . ."

He clung to her, heaving.

"My poor baby!" Mother laughed low. Then she set him up straight on her lap, and said, gravely:

"Mother has been very anxious and very much troubled all day, dear. Uncle Ted was hurt in a football game this morning, and for hours he—he didn't wake up at all. But now father has telephoned me that he is all right, and is going to be well and strong again. And mother wishes—oh, she wishes so much that he was never, never going to play again!"

"I'm not, mother—not never, never!" cried Harold Carrington Hopkins, Jr., valiantly.

So they rocked and talked and loved together, and presently he grew belatedly hungry, with the blessed relief of not hating mother. He did not tell her that all the long morning he had thought he did hate her, nor how wretchedly he had suffered—but, as usual, mother knew!

Profit in Blue Gum Groves.

In setting out a eucalyptus grove for profit, about 600 trees are planted to the acre. For the first two or three years irrigation is necessary, but after that no further attention is needed. Naturally some of the trees are malformed and stunted, and these are cut for firewood when three or four years old.

The next better class of trees as they attain sufficient size are cut for railroad ties, masts, bridge timbers, piling, telegraph poles and similar purposes. The best and straightest of all are allowed to grow until they are eight years old, or much longer if the production of very large timber is more desired than quick returns. The best quality of large timber sells at from \$100 to \$140 a thousand feet. It is used in cabinet work and other fine work. The World To-Day.

THROUGH COMBAT TO VICTORY

Strong, Vigorous Character Arrives at Fruition by Wrestling With and Overcoming Obstacles.

It is the wrestling with obstacles and the overcoming of difficulties that have made man a giant of achievement.

If we could analyze a strong, vigorous character, we should find it made up largely of the conquering habit, the habit of overcoming, says Orison Swett Marden in Success.

On the other hand, if we should analyze a weak character we should find just the reverse—the habit of failure, the habit of letting things slide, of yielding instead of conquering—the lack of courage, of persistency or grit.

There is the same difference between a self-made young man, who has fought his way up to his own loaf, and the pampered youth who has never been confronted by great responsibilities that would exercise his powers and call out his reserves, that there is between the stalwart oak which has struggled for its existence with a thousand storms, with all the extremities of the elements, and the hothouse plant which has never been allowed to feel a breath of frost or a rough wind.

Every bit of the oak's fiber has registered a victory, so that when its timber is called upon to wrestle with storms and the fury of the sea, it says, "I am no stranger to storms

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early	The Leaders <h1 style="margin: 0;">G. W. WEAVER & SON</h1> Gettysburg Pa.	Do Your Christmas Shopping Early
<p>Do what you can to make this a Happy, Joyous Christmas. There is no reason for being tight with the money bag this Christmas. There is every reason to believe that "more is coming" this year. The near future is assured. So turn in and make as many people happy as your purse will allow—and then some more. Money will go further here than it will in most places.</p>		

Table and House Linens There's a thing that will fit into either the Housekeeper's ideas or the prospective housekeeper's box—you cannot go wrong for either. We are showing all sorts of Fancy Linen Pieces, in Scarfs, Squares and Table Tops, Embroidered and Trimmed. Fancy Damask and Huck Towels—all grades. Table Damasks A special quality 60 inches Mercerized—has the appearance of finest linen and usually sell at 60 and 65 cts. Our Special Price 50c.—with Napkins to match at \$1.40 & \$1.50 Special— 72 In. Table Damasks 85c.—regular \$1 grade. 8 Patterns 72 in. Damask at \$1—Napkins to match, \$1 per doz. Damasks at \$1.25 & \$1.50 per yard with Napkins to match.	Sweater Coats Anyone not having a Sweater will be pleased to receive one of ours as a Christmas Gift. Warm as toast and yet not uncomfortably bulky—they fit. Men's Sweaters At \$1.00, that sell at some stores we know at \$1.50. Men's Sweaters at \$2.00, \$3.00 up to \$4.00. Every one of which you would likely pay more for elsewhere. Ladies Sweaters Shaped to the body, all wool. Exceptional values at \$2.00, \$2.75 and \$3.50. Children's Sweaters Sweaters for tots and older ones in beautiful fine wools, at 75 cts. \$1.00 to \$1.50. Grandpa or Father might like a Cardigan Jacket preferably. We are ready to supply that demand at a saving from the usual.	Head Scarfs Mousseline and Chiffon, a very popular article of head wear, especially for evening use. Every woman would like to own one, and you cannot go far wrong if you make it a scarf, even though she should already have one—choose another color. Prices range from 50c (a better and larger Scarf than the usual 50c kind) to \$5. with every between price. Hand and Toilet Mirrors A thing few people like to buy for themselves, and yet appreciate highly when owned—because so useful. A great assortment shown here now, bought direct from the Goehring Mfg. Co., who make more Hand Mirrors than any factory in the United States, because they make them truer and better. All sizes, round oblong, square. Priced at \$1 to \$1.65. A number of between prices.	Coats, Suits, Waists, Skirts, Rain Coats Should you decide that a Ready Made Garment is the right thing—as it certainly will be in this day of busy dressmakers—and besides it is nice to have it ready to wear during the Holidays. If a Suit, choose a little less now than earlier—so is the price. The style is as good as any shown this season. Cost \$12 up to \$30 with a great many between prices. Coats A few of those elegant Silk Plush and Caracul Coats—quality guaranteed and price less than same quality can be made to sell today. Top Coats In Black Broad Cloth, Tweeds, Coverts and Kerseys, \$5 to \$25 A Silk Petticoat Will please. A new line of Black Taffeta Skirts just to hand. Price begins at \$2.00. Special value at \$9. Rain Coats—Kenyons— Nothing more useful for general purposes. Nothing more dressy. \$8.00, \$10.00 to \$12.50. Separate Skirts, Separate Waists—Silk and Wool—Tailored—great variety.
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Tourist Cases—Neat Folding Lined with oil cloth sheeting—to hold wash rag, soap, brushes, &c.—a very useful article for the traveling bag and suit case. Pretties coverings, various sizes. 25. 50 up to \$3.	Dress Goods Many a woman would like a new dress or dress skirt at this time—but there are many others to be dressed—especially is this the case with many mothers; so why not make it a dress pattern of some kind. Make your selection from the largest stock, and where they sell most—that is us. Any amount you wish the present to cost, be it little or much—we can give you the best there is for the money. SHOP EARLY	Boxed Suspenders A man likes a pair of "Galluses" on every pair of trousers. These are the same kinds he would buy for himself—except that they are put up in fancy boxes for gift purposes. They cost just the same as at other times of the year—25 and 50 cts.	Men's Hosiery A nice gift for the son or husband. Fancy, brilliant Lisle and Silk Lisle—in great variety of colors as well as black, 19, 25 and 50 cts. Hosiery for men at 10, 12 1-2 Special.
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Biliken Novelties Cigar Ash Trays, Paper Cutters, Tape Measure Holders, Ink Wells, Vases, and many other things. "The God of things as they ought to be"—The Good Luck Gift—funny little chap that will make you laugh in spite of yourself. Any price—25c to \$1.	Handkerchiefs Of course there are Handkerchiefs—which always fit if nothing else can be thought of—and more than half of the Handkerchief business of any store is done at the Holiday time. We began preparations for this business months ago, because our Handkerchief business is out of the ordinary. If you want to give Handkerchiefs, you want to give the best that you can get for the money—therefore, do not buy "just any old place"—but come to see us—or write us if you cannot come—we will have what you want and at a reasonable price, too. Plain H. S. Linen For men or women from 50c up to 50c., and the very best possible to get anywhere for the price. Embroidered H. S. in Linen or Swiss Dainty and sweet as they can be—from 10 cts. to \$1.00 a piece. Duchess Lace Edge Linen centers—50 cts. to \$1.00 Men's Christmas Handkerchiefs Plain Linen H. S. and Cotton Initials and Fancy Borders—also extra large size Linen Handkerchiefs—in fact every kind and quality—at less price than elsewhere, because they were bought direct from Importer or Maker. Children's Xmas Handkerchiefs In pretties boxes if you wish or singly, bordered or pictured—very greatest variety. Silk Handkerchiefs Plain Jap or Initial Jap—Bandannas and Brocades. All Handkerchiefs boxed in a Christmas box, at a small additional cost.	Fancy Goods Silk Covered Hat Pin, Hair Pin, and other holders of small things different and more beautiful than anything else of the same character. They hang on the side of the dresser or bureau—Some have thermometers on them. They cost only 25c. Silks There is an aristocracy in the gift of a Silk Dress or waist, and if you come to us for it there is less to pay than you'd expect—likely—for instance— Yard Wide Black Taffeta Qualities that are guaranteed to wear at \$1.00, \$1.12 1-2, \$1.25 and \$1.50 that are not surpassed anywhere. Yard Wide Black Duchess and Poite de Sole At \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. 27 In. Colored Messalines In all the new shades, 90 cts.—the \$1.00 kind. Many other Weaves. FUGI SILKS Cotton and Silk mixed, light weight, plain and woven figures, beautiful shimmery stuff for evening dresses and fancy waists—29, 35, to 45 cts. All purchases boxed in Xmas boxes.
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Hosiery Makes a useful and very acceptable gift to anyone in the family—and past experience has warranted us in the stocking up in an unusual way for demands for gift giving. Hosiery for all sizes of people in every grade. Ladies' Black Silk Hose at \$1. Ladies' Black and Colored Silk Hose 35c.—the regular 50c kind. Ladies' Lisle Hose—Onyx brand at 25c.—the usual \$ for a dollar kind. All the above—if bought in \$1.00 quantity—put in an Xmas Box. 100 Doz. of "Ace of Spades" brand Rib Hose. Sizes from 6 to 10. The kind we always sold for 2 for 25 cts.—just received—and which will be all we can get to sell at this price—unless the price at the mill lowers. We paid an advance on this lot. Come—and expect extra value in any kind of stocking you want—be it for Father, Brother, Sister, Wife or Mother.	Christmas Jewelry. Jewelry at Dry Goods Store prices—Brooches, 25 and 50 cts. Belt Buckles and Pins 25 and 50 cts. to \$1.00. Hat Pins 5, 10 to 25 cts. Veil Pins 5, 10 to 25 cts. Beauty Pins, Link Cuff Buttons, Rings, 25 and 50 cts., and many other beautiful articles that look better and will wear better than the price. Acorn Brand Shirts What about a Shirt for a gift? If you get it from us it will cost you either 50 cts. or \$1.00. Have you ever heard of a shirt on a bean pole? The saying has reference to the fit: ours are not that kind—they fit and set right, and are as large proportionately as the collar size—no matter whether you pay 50 cts. or \$1.00. Then, too, the materials are the kinds you often find in other makes at a much higher price. If you decide on a shirt—see us—we will please him and you.	Carpet Department Is full of useful and beautiful articles for Christmas Gifts, from a rich 9 x 12 Wilton Rug at \$55.00 to a small Mat at \$1.00. Room size Rugs from \$10.00 up. Great Variety Of Small Rugs, Linoleum Mats, Door Mats, Sweepers, &c., or What about a Pair of Portieres, Couch Cover, Table Cover, or several pairs of Lace Curtains? The variety is so great that no matter what your mind suggests, we will likely have it at the price you desire to pay.	Neck Ties Neck Ties—if right in shape and pattern—are something like handkerchiefs—he can't get too many of them; that is a reason why so many are used for gifts. We believe that we sell a better Tie in quality, right up to the minute in style, for 25 cts. and 50 cts. than any other store in Gettysburg. We only keep two qualities, but a great many of each, all 50 ct. Ties boxed in fancy boxes Black Silk Folded Mufflers Especially useful to protect the collar, besides giving warmth, \$1.00 to \$1.50.	Men's Gloves Just the thing if you get the right kind. See us. We name a few of the most popular and nicest for use and gift purposes. Grey genuine Mocha, silk lined, \$1.50. Grey or Tan Mocha, heavy lined, \$1.00, \$1.25. An elegant warm driving glove. Tan Cape, unlined, a sporty glove for the young fellow. They can lose them but they don't wear out. Our price \$1.25. They'll cost \$1.50 elsewhere. Wool Gloves, Working Gloves, Boys' Gloves. Veilings and Veils Are a neat remembrance. Net Face Veils, Chiffon Veils, Auto Veils and Veilings—all neatly boxed in Christmas boxes.
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Wool Filled Comforts For "hubby"—give one to your wife—it will please her all right. Filled with Sanitary Lamb's Wool Fleece—3 or 4 lbs. The warmest as well as the nicest bed clothing you can get. Silk-aline covered—3 lb. weight \$2.75—Cotton Bunting covered 3 lb. weight \$2.50—4 lb. weight \$3.40. Down Filled—Sateen Covered Full size—\$5.00 and \$6.00. They are beautiful and are a source of pride to have rolled up on the spare bed—or wonderfully comfortable to draw up on a cold night. White Aprons. Special for Christmas giving. Fancy Embroidered Aprons, Lace and Embroidery trimmed in variety, Nurses' Aprons, Waitress Aprons, Gingham Aprons. All prices from 25c up.	Umbrellas Gift Umbrellas are different. Anything that will keep the rain off does some people, but when you buy for a gift you want something different—and we have it, and without extra cost—hundreds of them and hardly two alike in handle or cloth, bought and chosen especially for gift giving—which means special style handles for men, women and children, at any price you desire to pay from 50 cts. to \$6.00—with every between price—and every one a beauty in handle and style. Colored Silk Umbrellas—Suit Case Umbrellas (Handles disappear) and Umbrellas suitable for every member of the family. Price them elsewhere and then see us—you'll note the difference in price here. At \$1, \$2 and \$3—Special values by comparing with our own previous showings.	Cotton Fleece Comforts If you do not want to pay the price for wool, fleece or down—try one of our Cotton Fleece Comforts, Sateen covered and almost as light and warm as wool or down—only they cost less—\$1.00, \$1.25 up to \$2.50. Blankets Is there any housekeeper in the land who will not be glad to get a pair of Wool Blankets from you. Our line is so large—bought direct from the mill—that we are able to save the purchaser anywhere from a \$1.00 to a \$2.50. White, Gray, Scarlet or Plaid—in luxurious qualities—of real beauty—at the price of the ordinary.
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